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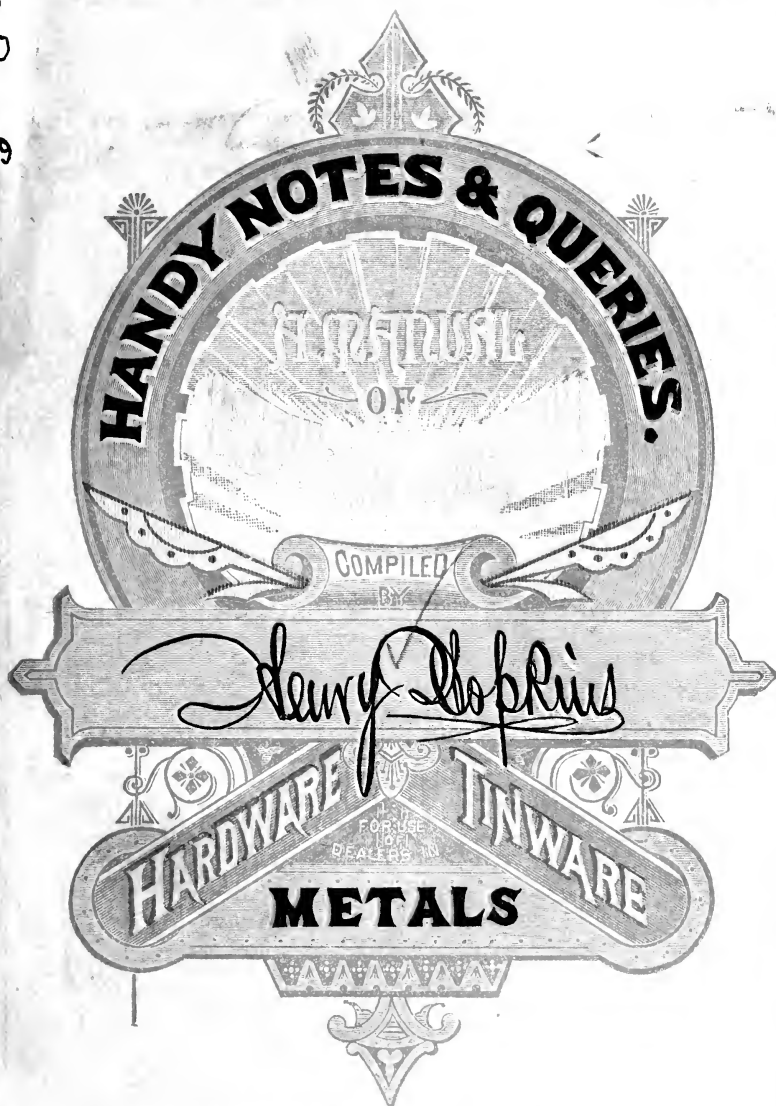
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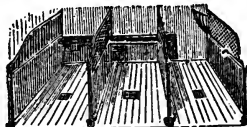
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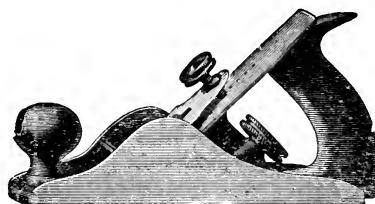
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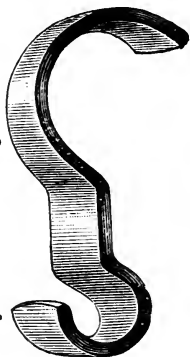
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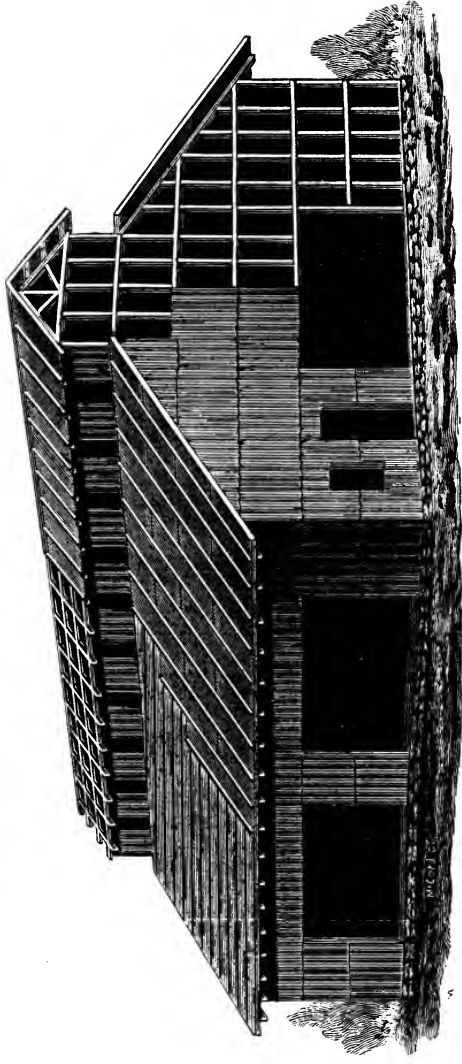
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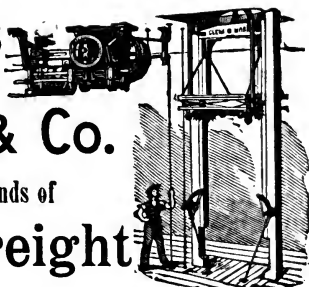
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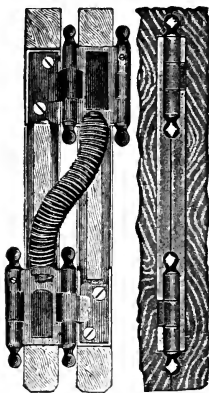
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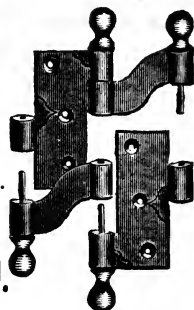
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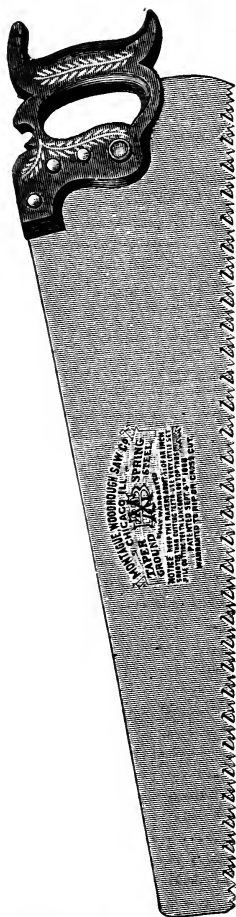
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Principals are responsible for the acts of their agents.

Each individual in a partnership is responsible for the whole amount of the debts of the firm, except in cases of special partnership.

Ignorance of the law excuses no one.

The law compels no one to do impossibilities.

An agreement without consideration is void.

A note made on Sunday is void.

Contracts made on Sunday cannot be enforced.

A note by a minor is void.

A contract made with a minor is void.

A contract made with a lunatic is void.

A note obtained by fraud, or from a person in a state of intoxication, cannot be collected.

It is a fraud to conceal a fraud.

Signatures made with a lead pencil are good in law.

A receipt for money is not always conclusive.

The acts of one partner bind all the rest.

" Value received " is usually written in a note, and should be, but is not necessary. If not written it is presumed by the law, or may be supplied by proof.

The maker of an " accommodation " bill or note (one for which he has received no consideration, having lent his name or credit for the accommodation of the holder) is not bound to the pers in accommodated, but is bound to all other parties, precisely as if there was a good consideration.

No consideration is sufficient in law if it be illegal in its nature.

Checks or drafts must be presented for payment without unreasonable delay.

Checks or drafts should be presented during business hours, but in this country, except in the case of banks, the time extends through the day and evening.

If the drawee of a check or draft has changed his residence, the holder must use due or reasonable diligence to find him.

If one who holds a check as payee or otherwise, transfers it to another, he has a right to insist that the check be presented that day, or, at farthest, on the following day.

A note indorsed in blank (the name of the indorser only written) is transferable by delivery, the same as if made payable to bearer.

If the time of payment of a note is not inserted, it is held payable on demand.

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* The time of payment of a note must not depend upon a contingency. The promise must be absolute.

A bill may be written upon any paper, or substitute for it, either with ink or pencil.

The payee should be distinctly named in the note, unless it is payable to bearer.

An indorsee has a right of action against all whose names were on the bill when he received it.

If the letter containing a protest of non-payment be put into the post office, any miscarriage does not affect the party giving notice.

Notice of protest may be sent either to the place of business or of residence of the party notified.

The holder of a note may give notice of protest either to all the previous indorsers or only to one of them; in case of the latter he must select the last indorser, and the last must give notice to the last before him, and so on. Each indorser must send notice the same day or the day following. Neither Sunday or legal holiday is to be counted in reckoning the time in which notice is to be given.

The loss of a bill or note is not sufficient excuse for not giving notice of protest.

If two or more persons as partners are jointly liable on a note or bill, due notice to one of them is sufficient.

If a note or bill is transferred as security, or even as payment of a pre-existing debt, the debt revives if the bill or note be dishonored.

An indorsement may be written on the face or back.

An indorser may prevent his own liability to be sued by writing "without recourse," or similar words.

All claims which do not rest upon a seal or judgment must be sued within six years from the time when they arise.

Part payment of a debt which has passed the time of statutory limitation revives the whole debt, and the claim holds good for another period of six years from the date of such partial payment.

A verbal promise to pay, made without condition, is generally held as sufficient to revive a claim otherwise shut out by the law of limitation.

If, when a debt is due, the debtor is out of the State, the "six years" do not begin to run until he returns. If he afterward leave the State, the time forward counts the same as if he remained in the State.

An oral agreement must be proved by evidence. A written agreement proves itself. The law prefers written to oral evidence because of its precision.

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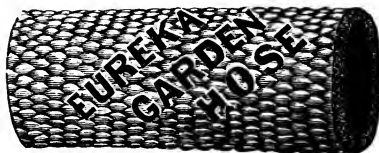
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13 Barclay Street, New York,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Seamless Cotton and Mildew-Proof, Rubber-Lined

“EUREKA GARDEN HOSE.”



This Company for the season's trade in **Garden Hose** invites the especial attention of dealers, and solicits their orders for our products of Hose for Household purposes. This Hose is known as the **Eureka Garden Hose**, which we have greatly improved in appearance and weaving—unequalled by any and the very best Hose in the market.

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| | |
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| $\frac{1}{2}$ Inch Eureka Garden Hose..... | 20 Cents per Foot. |
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Bills of Exchange, Drafts, Acceptances.

A Bill of Exchange or Draft is an order drawn by one person or firm upon another, payable either at sight or at a stated future time.

It becomes an "Acceptance" when the party upon whom it is drawn writes across the face "Accepted," and signs his name thereto, and is negotiable and bankable the same as a note, and subject to the same laws.

In many States both Sight and Time drafts are entitled to three days' grace, the same as notes; but if made in form of a bank check, "pay to," without the words "at sight," it is payable on presentation without grace.

Demand Notes are payable on presentation without grace, and bear legal interest, after a demand has been made, if not so written. An endorser on a demand note is holden only for a limited time, variable in different States.

A Negotiable Note must be made payable either to bearer, or be properly endorsed by the person to whose order it is made. If the endorser wishes to avoid responsibility, he can endorse "without recourse."

A Joint Note is one signed by two or more persons, who each become liable for the whole amount.

Three Days' Grace are allowed on all time notes, after the time for payment expires; if not then paid, the endorser, if any, should be legally notified, to be holden.

Foreign Exchange, Value of U. S. Coins, etc.

The value of One Pound Sterling or an English Sovereign, compared with old U. S. coins, is \$4.444, but Congress has, from time to time, reduced the weight and purity of U. S. coins, making their value as metals less than their value as coins, and has established the present legal value of a Pound Sterling at \$4.84. Exchange is based on the old or nominal value of a Pound, so that when exchange is said to be at 9 per cent. premium, it is then at par value; when below 9 per cent., it is below par; and when above 9 per cent., above par, etc.

Copartnerships.

Partnerships may be either general or special. In general partnerships, money invested ceases to be individual property. Each member is made personally liable for the whole amount of debts incurred by the company. The company is liable for all contracts or obligations made by individual members.

Special Partners are not liable beyond the amount contributed.

A person may become a partner by allowing people generally to presume that he is one, as, by having his name on the sign, or parcels, or in the bills used in the business.

A share or specific interest in the profits or loss of a business, as remuneration for labor, may involve one in the liability of a partner.

In case of Bankruptcy, the joint estate is first applied to the payment of partnership debts, the surplus only going to the creditors of the individual estate.

A Dissolution of partnership may take place under express stipulations in the articles of agreement, by mutual consent, by the death or insanity of one of the firm, by award of arbitrators, or by court of equity in cases of misconduct of some member of the firm.

A partner signing his individual name to negotiable paper, which is for the use of the partnership firm, binds all the partners thereby. Negotiable paper of the firm, even though given on private account by one of the partners, will hold all the partners of the firm when it passes into the hands of holders who are ignorant of the fact attending its creation.

Partnership effects may be bought and sold by a partner; he may make contracts; may receive money; endorse, draw, and accept bills and notes; and while this may be for his own private account, if it apparently be for the use of the firm, his partners will be bound by his action, provided the parties dealing with him were ignorant of the transaction being on his private account; and thus representation or misrepresentation of a partner, having relation to business of the firm, will bind the members in the partnership.

In case of Death, the surviving partners must account to the representatives of the deceased.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Poisons and their Antidotes.

ARSENIC.—Use the stomach pump instantly; otherwise, give 20 grains sulphate of zinc in a little warm water to produce vomiting, or a large table spoonful of mustard in warm water. Meanwhile procure some *hydrated sesquioxide of iron* and give a table spoonful of it with water every five or ten minutes until six doses are taken. *Dialyzed iron* is also efficient.

AQUA AMMONIA, or **HARTSHORN**, if taken undiluted is a violent poison. Give *Vinegar*, instantly, mixed with a little water, this acts by neutralization. Vegetable oils, in large quantity, furnish the next best antidote, the ammonia acting upon them to form Soap.

ACONITE.—Give an emetic of mustard or sulphate of zinc, or use the stomach pump, instantly, then give stimulants, whiskey, brandy, gin or rum, &c.

ACID—**NITRIC**, **MURIATIC**, or **SULPHURIC**.—If either of these be swallowed, not a moment is to be lost. The best remedy is to fill the patient full of *Calcined Magnesia* stirred up in water, to the consistency of very thin paste; or, give half an ounce of soap shavings in a pint of water. If neither are at hand give chalk or whiting, in water, or even pound fine some of the white plastering from the wall and give in water.

BELLADONNA, **HYOSCYAMUS**, **STAMONIUM**, and **CONIUM** are all narcotics, and the treatment is the same as for opium; *especially the strong coffee*.

CANTHARIDES (Spanish Flies).—Give large doses of sweet oil, sugar and water, or milk. To relieve the strangury and scalding of urine whice it occasions, give camphor, 10 to 15 drop doses in water.

CORROSIVE SUBLIMATE, (Bed bug poison).—Mix up quickly the *whites of a dozen eggs*, with a quart of cold water, give a cupful of the mixture every two minutes till the stomach can hold no more. If you have not eggs enough use what you have and make up the deficiency with *milk*. Wheat flour, mixed with water, is good. Use the stomach pump if it can be had quickly.

CHARCOAL GAS, **SULPHURETTED HYDROGEN**, or **CARBONIC ACID GAS**.—Use cold shower bath and give Aconite in drop doses, in a spoonful of water. The effects of *Coal gas* are best antidoted by copious draughts of vinegar and water.

OXALIC ACID.—Give *Magnesia* in water as quickly as possible. When not to be had, use chalk, lime or saleratus. Use the stomach pump if at hand. Soap suds or alkalies are of no use with this Acid.

OPIMUM, **MORPHINE** and **LAUDANUM**.—Use the stomach pump, if possible; if not, a powerful emetic, as sulphate of zinc; or, give the mustard emetic and tickle the palate. If drowsiness comes on, take the patient into the open air; dash water into the face, *by all means keep him walking*. If once allowed to fall asleep it may be impossible to arouse him. Strong coffee, taken hot, antidotes after the stomach has been emptied.

PRUSSIC ACID.—This is the deadliest of all known poisons. One drop of the *pure acid* will cause instantaneous death. If any of its products be taken and the result is not immediately fatal, resort to the cold shower bath, inhalation of diluted *aqua ammonia* vapor and give solution of carbonate of potash, 20 grains to a glass of water, or ammonia diluted with six times the bulk of water, freely.

SUGAR OF LEAD, (Acetate of Lead).—Give a ground mustard emetic; or, 20 grains sulphate of zinc in a glass of water; afterwards, large dose of epsom salts.

STRYCHNINE or **NUX VOMICA**, are rapid and deadly poisons, generally proving fatal, in spite of treatment. If emetics are given and the stomach emptied quickly enough, and if the patient is not attacked with convulsions within two hours, he will generally be safe. An abundance of sweet milk is recommended, also strong coffee, as for opium poisoning.

STRONG LYE.—Sometimes swallowed by children. The remedy is *vinegar*, or *oil*, the former by converting the lye into acetate of potash, the latter by forming soap; neither of which materially injures the stomach.

VERDIGRIS.—This most frequently poisons by its formation upon copper vessels used in cooking. Give an emetic instantly, and then two table spoonfuls of *Carbonate of Soda*, in a tumbler full of water and repeat in ten minutes. Whites of eggs in water are also proper.

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WORKSHOP RECIPES.

Cement to Resist Fire and Water, and Harden Quickly.

Two parts finely sifted unoxidized iron filings.

One part, perfectly dry, finely powdered loam.

Knead the mixture with strong viuegar into a homogeneous plastic mass, to be used as soon as made.

To Soften Putty.

To remove old putty from broken windows, dip a small brush in nitromuriatic acid or caustic soda (concentrated lye), and with it annoint or paint over the dry putty that adheres to the broken glass and frames of your windows; after an hours interval, the putty will have become so soft as to be easily removable.

Painter's Putty.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| Spanish whiting, pulverized..... | 80.6 | } Made into a stiff paste. If not intended for immediate use, raw oil should be used. |
| Boiled Oil..... | 20.4 | |

One pound of putty for stopping every 20 yards.

Glazier's Putty.

Whiting, 70 pounds; bolled oil, 30 pounds; water, 2 gallons. Mix. If too thin add more whiting; if too thick, add more oil.

Cement for Stopping Joints, Etc.

White lead in oil, mixed with enough white sand to make it a stiff paste. This grows hard by exposure, and resists heat, cold and water.

Cement for Leather Belting.

Take of common glue and American isinglass, equal parts; place them in a boiler and add water sufficient to cover the whole. Let it soak 10 hours, then bring it to a boiling heat, and add pure tannin until the whole becomes rosey or appears like the whites of eggs. Apply it warm. Buff the grain off the leather where it is to be cemented; rub the joint surfaces solidly together, let it dry a few hours, and it is ready for practical use; and, if properly put together, it will not need riveting, as the cement is nearly of the same nature as the leather itself.

To Remove Rusty Bolts.

To remove bolts that have become rusted badly, without breaking them, is quite simple if understood. The best method is to apply kerosene oil liberally, and give time for it to soften the rust before any attempt is made to turn the nut. If, after the rust has softened, it does not start easily with the wrench, give a rap on one corner with a blow of the hammer. A hammer and cold chisel rightly used will often start a rusted nut that would not yield to the wrench without twisting off the bolt.

How to Prepare Fence Posts.

A western farmer says that he discovered many years ago that wood could be made to last longer than iron in the ground. Time and weather, he says, seem to have no effect on it. Posts can be prepared for less than two cents apiece. This is the recipe: Take boiled linseed oil and stir it in pulverized charcoal to the consistency of paint. Put a coat of this over the timber, and, he adds, there is not a man that will live to see it rot.

A Practical Rule for Laying Pipe for Draining Land.

| Soils. | Depth of Pipe, | Distance apart. |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Coarse Gravel Sand..... | 4 feet 6 inches..... | 60 feet. |
| Light Sand with Gravel..... | 4 " "..... | 50 " |
| Light Loam..... | 3 " 6 "..... | 33 " |
| Loam with Clay..... | 3 " 2 "..... | 21 " |
| " " Gravel..... | 3 " 3 "..... | 27 " |
| Sandy Loam..... | 3 " 9 "..... | 40 " |
| Soft Clay..... | 2 " 9 "..... | 21 " |
| Stiff "..... | 2 " 6 "..... | 15 " |

Greatest Fall of Rain is 2 inches per hour=34303.6 galls. per acre.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Rate of Annual Income of Investments,

PAR VALUE BEING \$100, BEARING INTEREST AT

| Price paid. | 5% | 6% | 7% | 8% | 10% |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| \$50 | 10.00 | 12.00 | 14.00 | 16.00 | 20.00 |
| 55 | 9.09 | 10.90 | 12.72 | 14.55 | 18.18 |
| 60 | 8.33 | 10.00 | 11.66 | 13.33 | 16.66 |
| 65 | 7.69 | 9.23 | 10.76 | 12.30 | 15.38 |
| 70 | 7.14 | 8.57 | 10.00 | 11.42 | 14.28 |
| 75 | 6.66 | 8.00 | 9.33 | 10.66 | 13.35 |
| 80 | 6.25 | 7.50 | 8.75 | 10.00 | 12.50 |
| 82½ | 6.06 | 7.27 | 8.48 | 9.69 | 11.12 |
| 85 | 5.88 | 7.05 | 8.23 | 9.41 | 11.76 |
| 87½ | 5.71 | 6.85 | 8.00 | 9.14 | 11.42 |
| 90 | 5.55 | 6.66 | 7.77 | 8.88 | 11.11 |
| 92½ | 5.40 | 6.48 | 7.56 | 8.64 | 10.80 |
| 95 | 5.26 | 6.31 | 7.36 | 8.42 | 10.52 |
| 96 | 5.20 | 6.25 | 7.29 | 8.33 | 10.41 |
| 97 | 5.15 | 6.18 | 7.21 | 8.24 | 10.30 |
| 97½ | 5.12 | 6.15 | 7.17 | 8.20 | 10.25 |
| 98 | 5.10 | 6.12 | 7.14 | 8.16 | 10.20 |
| 99 | 5.05 | 6.06 | 7.07 | 8.08 | 10.10 |
| 100 | 5.00 | 6.00 | 7.00 | 8.00 | 10.00 |
| 101 | 4.95 | 5.94 | 6.93 | 7.92 | 9.90 |
| 102 | 4.90 | 5.88 | 6.86 | 7.84 | 9.80 |
| 103 | 4.85 | 5.82 | 6.79 | 7.76 | 9.70 |
| 104 | 4.80 | 5.76 | 6.73 | 7.69 | 9.61 |
| 105 | 4.76 | 5.71 | 6.66 | 7.61 | 9.52 |
| 110 | 4.54 | 5.45 | 6.36 | 7.27 | 9.09 |
| 115 | 4.34 | 5.21 | 6.08 | 6.95 | 8.69 |
| 120 | 4.16 | 5.00 | 5.83 | 6.66 | 8.33 |
| 125 | 4.00 | 4.80 | 5.60 | 6.40 | 8.00 |
| 130 | 3.84 | 4.61 | 5.38 | 6.15 | 7.69 |
| 135 | 3.70 | 4.44 | 5.18 | 5.92 | 7.40 |
| 140 | 3.57 | 4.28 | 5.00 | 5.71 | 7.14 |
| 145 | 3.44 | 4.13 | 4.82 | 5.51 | 6.89 |
| 150 | 3.33 | 4.00 | 4.66 | 5.33 | 6.66 |

Interest Rules.

FOUR PER CENT.—Multiply the principal by the number of days to run ; separate the right hand figure from product, and divide by 9.

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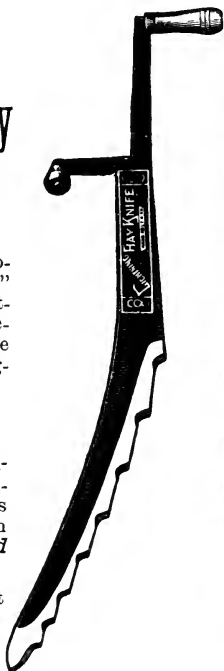
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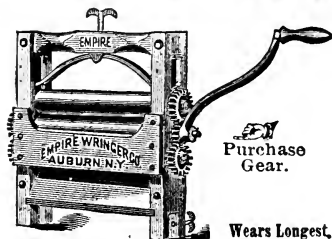
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| Alabama..... | 8 | 8 | 20 | 6 | 3 | Missouri..... | 6 | 10 | 10 |
| Arkansas..... | 6 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 3 | Montana..... | 10 | Any rate. | 6 |
| Arizona..... | 10 | Any rate. | 4 | 4 | 2 | Nebraska..... | 7 | 10 | 5 |
| California..... | 7 | Any rate. | 5 | 4 | 2 | Nevada..... | 10 | Any rate. | 6 |
| Colorado..... | 10 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 6 | New Hampshire..... | 6 | 6 | 20 |
| Connecticut..... | 6 | + | 16 | 16 | 6 | New Jersey..... | 6 | 6 | 20 |
| Dakota..... | 7 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 6 | New Mexico..... | 6 | 12 | 15 |
| Delaware..... | 6 | 6 | 20 | 6 | 3 | New York..... | 6 | 6* | 20 |
| Dist. of Columbia..... | 6 | 10 | 12 | 3 | 3 | North Carolina..... | 8 | 8 | 10 |
| Florida..... | 8 | Any rate. | 20 | 3 | 2 | Ohio..... | 6 | 8 | 15 |
| Georgia..... | 7 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 4 | Oregon..... | 6 | 19 | 10 |
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| Illinois..... | 6 | 8 | 7 | 10 | 5 | Rhode Island..... | 6 | Any rate. | 20 |
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| Iowa..... | 7 | 10 | 20 | 10 | 5 | Tennessee..... | 6 | 6 | 10 |
| Kansas..... | 7 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 3 | Texas..... | 8 | 12 | 15 |
| Kentucky..... | 6 | 6 | 15 | 15 | 5 | Utah..... | 10 | Any rate. | 5 |
| Louisiana..... | 5 | 8 | 10 | 5 | 3 | Vermont..... | 6 | 6 | 8 |
| Maine..... | 6 | Any rate. | 20 | 6 | 6 | Virginia..... | 6 | 12 | 10 |
| Maryland..... | 6 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 3 | Washington Territory..... | 10 | Any rate. | 6 |
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| Michigan..... | 7 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 6 | Wisconsin..... | 7 | 10 | 20 |
| Minnesota..... | 10 | Any rate. | 10 | 6 | 3 | Wyoming..... | 8 | Any rate. | 5 |
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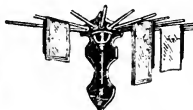
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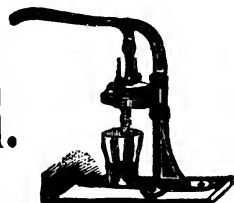
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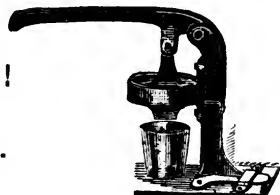
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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Avoirdupois Weight.

The Grain is the same in Troy, Apothecaries and Avoirdupois Weights.

The standard avoirdupois pound is the weight of 27.7015 cubic inches of distilled water weighed in the air at 35.85 degrees Fahr., barometer at 30 inches.
27.343 grains = 1 drachm.

| drachms. | ozs. | lbs. | qrs. | cwt. | ton. | French grammes. |
|----------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|
| 1 | = .0625 | = .0039 | = .000139 | = .000035 | = .00000174 | = 1.771846 |
| 16 | = 1 | = .0625 | = .00223 | = .000558 | = .000028 | = 28.34954 |
| 256 | = 16 | = 1 | = .0357 | = .00893 | = .000447 | = 453.59 |
| 7168 | = 448 | = 28 | = 1 | = .25 | = .0125 | = 12700 |
| 28672 | = 1792 | = 112 | = 4 | = 1 | = .05 | = 50802 |
| 573440 | = 35840 | = 2240 | = 80 | = 20 | = 1 | = 1016040 |

A stone = 14 pounds.

A quintal = 100 pounds

Troy Weight.

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| grains. | dwt. | ozs. | lbs. | French grammes. |
|---------|----------|----------|------------|-----------------|
| 1 | = .04167 | = .00208 | = .0001736 | = .9648 |
| 24 | = 1 | = .05 | = .004167 | = 1.555 |
| 480 | = 20 | = 1 | = .0833 | = 31.1035 |
| 5760 | = 240 | = 12 | = 1 | = 373.242 |

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lbs. Troy X 1.3153 = lbs. Avoirdupois.

The jeweler's Carat is equal, in the United States, to 3.2 grains; in London, to 3.17 grains; in Paris, to 3.16.

Pure Gold is worth \$20.67 per oz. Troy, or \$16.24 per oz. Avoirdupois.

| | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---------|---|---|---------|---|---|
| Standard Gold | " | \$1.36 | " | " | \$1.24 | " | " |
| " | " | \$18.60 | " | " | \$16.96 | " | " |
| Standard Silver | " | \$1.225 | " | " | \$1.117 | " | " |

Apothecaries' Weight.

United States and British.

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| 20 grains..... | 1 scruple. |
| 3 scruples..... | 1 drachm = 60 grains. |
| 8 drams..... | 1 ounce = 24 scruples = 480 grains. |
| 12 ounces..... | 1 pound = 96 drachms = 288 scruples = 5760 grs. |

In Troy and Apothecaries' weights, the grain, ounce and pound are the same.

Long Measure.

| ins. | feet. | yards. | fath. | poles. | furl. | mile. | French metres. |
|-------|--------|----------|---------|---------|-----------|------------|----------------|
| 1 | = .083 | = .02778 | = .0139 | = .005 | = .000125 | = .0000158 | = .0254 |
| 12 | = 1 | = .333 | = .1667 | = .0606 | = .00151 | = .0001894 | = .3048 |
| 36 | = 3 | = 1 | = .5 | = .182 | = .00454 | = .000568 | = .9144 |
| 72 | = 6 | = 2 | = 1 | = .364 | = .0091 | = .001136 | = 1.8287 |
| 192 | = 16 | = 5 1/2 | = 2 1/4 | = 1 | = .025 | = .003125 | = 5.0291 |
| 7920 | = 660 | = 220 | = 110 | = 40 | = 1 | = .125 | = 201.16 |
| 63360 | = 5280 | = 1760 | = 880 | = 320 | = 8 | = 1 | = 1609.315 |

A cable's length = 120 fathoms.

A square mile is 640 acres.

A league is three miles.

The term "Sabbath Day's Journey" means 1,155 yards.

A day's journey is 3 1/2 miles.

2 fathom is six feet.

A hand (horse measure) is four inches.

A palm is three inches.

A span is 10 1/2 inches.

A cubit is two feet.

A great cubit is 11 feet.

A pace is three feet.

Surveying Measure (Lineal).

| ins. | links. | feet. | yards. | chains. | mile. | French metres. |
|-------|---------|---------|---------|----------|------------|----------------|
| 1 | = .126 | = .0833 | = .0278 | = .00126 | = .0000158 | = .0254 |
| 7.92 | = 1 | = .66 | = .22 | = .01 | = .000125 | = .2012 |
| 12 | = 1.515 | = 1 | = .333 | = .01515 | = .000189 | = .3048 |
| 36 | = 4.545 | = 3 | = 1 | = .04545 | = .000568 | = .9144 |
| 792 | = 100 | = 66 | = 22 | = 1 | = .0125 | = 20.116 |
| 63360 | = 8000 | = 5280 | = 1760 | = 80 | = 1 | = 1609.315 |

1 knot or geographical mile = 6082.66 feet = 1554 metres = 1.152 statute mile.

1 Admiralty knot = 1.1515 statute miles = 6080 feet.

Table of Quantities.

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----------|------------------|-------------|
| 12 units or articles, | 1 dozen. | 20 quires | 1 ream. |
| 12 d z-u | 1 gross. | 2 reams | 1 bundle. |
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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES—Continued.

Square Measure.

| SQUARE MEASURES. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------|-----------|------------|------------|--------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| ins. | feet. | yards. | perches. | roods. | acre. | Square metres. | | | | | |
| 1 | = .00694 | = .000772 | = .0000255 | = .0000064 | = .000000159 | = .000645 | | | | | |
| 144 | = 1 | = .111 | = .00367 | = .0000918 | = .000623 | = .0929 | | | | | |
| 1296 | = 9 | = 1 | = .0331 | = .000826 | = .0002062 | = .8361 | | | | | |
| 39304 | = 272½ | = 30¼ | = 1 | = .025 | = .00625 | = 25.292 | | | | | |
| 1568160 | = 10890 | = 1210 | = 40 | = 1 | = .25 | = 1011.7 | | | | | |
| 6272640 | = 43560 | = 4840 | = 160 | = 4 | = 1 | = 4046.7 | | | | | |

| | | |
|-----------------------|---|--------------------|
| 100 square feet | = | 1 square. |
| 1 chain wide | = | 8 acres per mile. |
| 10 square chains | = | 1 acre. |
| 1 hectare | = | 2.471143 acres. |
| 1 square mile. | = | 27878400 sq. feet. |
| | = | 3097600 sq. yds. |
| | = | 640 acres. |
| Acres x .0015625 | = | square miles. |
| Sq. yds. x .000000323 | = | sq. miles. |

A section of land is 1 mile square, and contains 640 acres
A square acre is 208.71 feet at each side.

| | | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---------------------------|---|---|
| " | ½ | " | 147.58 | " | " |
| " | ¼ | " | 104.355 | " | " |
| A circular | " | " | 235.504 feet in diameter. | " | " |
| " | ½ | " | 166.527 | " | " |
| " | ¼ | " | 117.752 | " | " |

| | | | | |
|---------------------|---------|--------------------|----|------------|
| 52 1-6 feet square, | or..... | 2,722½ square feet | is | 1-16 acre. |
| 73½ feet square, | or..... | 5,445 square | " | ½ acre. |
| 104½ feet square, | or..... | 10,890 square | " | 1¼ acre. |
| 120½ feet square, | or..... | 14,520 square | " | 1½ acre. |
| 147½ feet square, | or..... | 21,780 square | " | 1¾ acre. |
| 208½ feet square, | or..... | 43,560 square | " | 2¼ acre. |

Cubic Measure.

| ins. | feet. | yard. | cubic metres. |
|---------|------------|--------------|------------------|
| 1 = | .0005788 = | .000002144 = | .000016386. |
| 172½ = | 1 = | .03704 = | .028315 |
| 46556 = | 27 = | 1 = | .764513 |

A cord of wood = 128 cubic feet, being 4 feet high, 4 feet wide, and 8 feet long.
42 cubic feet = a ton of shipping.

A CUBIC FOOT IS EQUAL TO

| | |
|--|---|
| 1728 cubic inches. | 29.92208 U. S. liquid quarts. |
| .037037 cubic yard. | 25.71405 U. S. dry quarts. |
| .803564 U. S. struck bushel of 2150.42 cubic inches. | 59.84416 U. S. liquid pints. |
| 3.21426 U. S. pecks. | 61.42909 U. S. dry pints. |
| 7.49062 U. S. liquid galls. of 231 cub. inch. | 239.37662 U. S. gills. |
| 6.42851 U. S. dry gallons. | 26667 flour barrel of 3 struck bushels. |
| | 23748 U. S. liquid barrel of 31½ gallons. |

Dry Measure.

The Standard Bushel contains 2150.42 cubic inches, or 77.627013 pounds avoirdupois of pure water at maximum density. It legal dimensions are 18½ inches Diameter inside, 19½ inches outside, and 8 inches deep; and when heaped, the cone must be 6 inches high, making a heaped bushel equal to 1¼ struck ones.

| Pints. | Quarts. | Gallons. | Pecks. | Bushels. | Cubic Inches. |
|--------|---------|----------|--------|----------|---------------|
| 2 = | 1 = | .250 = | .125 = | .0315 = | 67.2 |
| 8 = | 4 = | 1 = | .5 = | .125 = | 268.8 |
| 16 = | 8 = | 2 = | 1 = | .25 = | 537.6 |
| 64 = | 32 = | 8 = | 4 = | 1 = | 2150.42 |

Liquid Measure.

The standard gallon measures 231 cubic inches, or 8.33888 lbs., avoirdupois of pure water, at about 39.5 degrees Fahr., the barometer at 30 inches.

| gills. | 1 pint. | 1 quart. | 1 gallon. | 1 tierce. | 1 hogshead. | 1 puncheon. | 1 pipe. | 1 tun. |
|--------|---------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|---------|------------------------|
| 4 | = | 1 pint. | | | | | | |
| 8 | = | 2 | = | 1 quart. | | | | |
| 32 | = | 8 | = | 4 | = | 1 gallon. | | |
| 1344 | = | 336 | = | 168 | = | 42 | = | 1 tierce. |
| 2016 | = | 504 | = | 252 | = | 63 | = | 1½ = 1 hogshead. |
| 2496 | = | 672 | = | 336 | = | 84 | = | 2 = 1½ = 1 puncheon. |
| 4032 | = | 1008 | = | 504 | = | 126 | = | 3 = 2 = 1½ = 1 pipe. |
| 8064 | = | 2016 | = | 1008 | = | 252 | = | 6 = 4 = 3 = 2 = 1 tun. |

A cubic foot contains 7½ gallons.

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Common Names of Chemical Substances.

| COMMON NAMES. | CHEMICAL NAMES. |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Aqua Fortis..... | Nitric Acid. |
| Aqua Regia..... | Nitro-Muriatic Acid. |
| Blue Vitriol..... | Sulphate of Copper. |
| Cream of Tartar..... | Bitartrate Potassium. |
| Calomel..... | Chloride of Mercury. |
| Chalk..... | Carbonate Calcium. |
| Salt of Tartar..... | Carbonate of Potassa. |
| Caustic Potassa..... | Hydrate Potassium. |
| Chloroform..... | Chloride of Gormyle. |
| Common Salt..... | Chloride of Sodium. |
| Copperas, or Green Vitriol..... | Sulphate of Iron. |
| Corrosive Sublimate..... | Bi-Chloride of Mercury. |
| Diamond..... | Pure Carbon. |
| Dry Alum..... | Sulphate Alluminum and Potassium. |
| Epsom Salts..... | Sulphate of Magnesia. |
| Ethiops Mineral..... | Black Sulphide of Mercury. |
| Fire Damp..... | Light Carburetted Hydrogen. |
| Galena..... | Sulphide of Lead. |
| Glauber's Salt..... | Sulphate of Sodium. |
| Glucose..... | Grape Sugar. |
| Goulard Water..... | Basic Acetate of Lead. |
| Iron Pyrites..... | Bi-Sulphide of Iron. |
| Jeweler's Putty..... | Oxide of Tin. |
| King's Yellow..... | Sulphide of Arsenic. |
| Laughing Gas..... | Protoxide of Nitrogen. |
| Lime..... | Oxide of Calcium. |
| Lunar Caustic..... | Nitrate of Silver. |
| Mosaic Gold..... | Bi-Sulphide of Tin. |
| Muriate of Lime..... | Chloride of Calcium. |
| Nitre of Saltpetre..... | Nitrate of Potash. |
| Oil of Vitriol..... | Sulphuric Acid. |
| Potash..... | Oxide of Potassium. |
| Realgar..... | Sulphide of Arsenic. |
| Red Lead..... | Oxide of Lead. |
| Rust of Iron..... | Oxide of Iron. |
| Salmoniac..... | Muriate of Ammonia. |
| Slacked Lime..... | Hydrate Calcium. |
| Soda..... | Oxide of Sodium. |
| Spirits of Hartshorn..... | Ammonia. |
| Spirit of Salt..... | Hydro-Chloric or Muriatic Acid. |
| Stucco, or Plaster of Paris..... | Sulphate of Lime. |
| Sugar of Lead..... | Acetate of Lead. |
| Verdigris..... | Basic Acetate of Copper. |
| Vermillion..... | Sulphide of Mercury. |
| Vinegar..... | Acetic Acid (Diluted). |
| Volatile Alkali..... | Ammonia. |
| Water..... | Oxide of Hydrogen. |
| White Precipitate..... | Ammoniated Mercury. |
| White Vitriol..... | Sulphate of Zinc. |

To Obtain the Weight of Grindstones.

RULE: Square the diameter (in inches), multiply by thickness (in inches), then multiply by decimal .06363.

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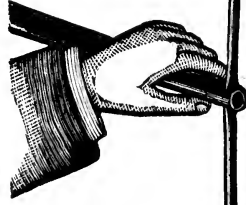
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TABLE FOR THE CONVERSION OF METRIC WEIGHTS AND MEASURES INTO ENGLISH.

| Metres into Yards. | Kilometres to Miles and Yards. | Litres into Gallons and Quarts. | Hectolitres into Quarts and Bushels. | Kilogrammes into Cwts. Qrs. Lbs. Oz. | Hectares into acres. | R. P. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|-------|
| 1 1'094 | 1 0 1094 | 1 0 0'880 | 1 0 2'751 | 1 0 0 2 3½ | 1 2 1 35 | |
| 2 2'187 | 2 1 427 | 2 0 1'761 | 2 0 5'502 | 2 0 0 4 6½ | 2 4 3 31 | |
| 3 3'281 | 3 1 1521 | 3 0 2'641 | 3 1 0'254 | 3 0 0 6 9½ | 3 7 1 26 | |
| 4 4'374 | 4 2 855 | 4 0 3'521 | 4 1 3'005 | 4 0 0 8 13 | 4 9 3 22 | |
| 5 5'468 | 5 3 188 | 5 1 0'402 | 5 1 5'756 | 5 0 0 11 0½ | 5 12 1 17 | |
| 6 6'562 | 6 3 1282 | 6 1 1'282 | 6 2 0'507 | 6 0 0 13 3½ | 6 14 3 12 | |
| 7 7'655 | 7 4 615 | 7 1 2'163 | 7 2 3'258 | 7 0 0 15 7 | 7 17 1 8 | |
| 8 8'749 | 8 4 1709 | 8 1 3'043 | 8 2 6'010 | 8 0 0 17 10½ | 8 19 3 3 | |
| 9 9'843 | 9 5 1043 | 9 1 3'923 | 9 3 0'761 | 9 0 0 19 13½ | 9 22 0 38 | |
| 10 10'936 | 10 6 376 | 10 2 0'804 | 10 3 5'512 | 10 0 0 22 0½ | 10 24 2 34 | |
| 20 21'873 | 20 12 753 | 20 4 1'608 | 20 6 7'024 | 20 0 0 16 1½ | 20 49 1 28 | |
| 30 32'809 | 30 18 1129 | 30 6 2'412 | 30 10 2'536 | 30 0 2 10 2½ | 30 74 0 21 | |
| 40 43'745 | 40 24 1805 | 40 8 3'215 | 40 13 6'048 | 40 0 3 4 3 | 40 98 3 15 | |
| 50 54'682 | 50 31 122 | 50 11 0'019 | 50 17 1'560 | 50 0 3 26 3½ | 50 123 2 9 | |
| 60 65'618 | 60 37 498 | 60 13 0'833 | 60 20 5'072 | 60 1 0 20 4½ | 60 148 1 3 | |
| 70 76'554 | 70 43 874 | 70 15 1'627 | 70 24 0'585 | 70 1 1 14 5½ | 70 172 3 37 | |
| 80 87'491 | 80 49 1251 | 80 17 2'431 | 80 27 4'097 | 80 1 2 8 6 | 80 197 2 38 | |
| 90 98'427 | 90 55 1627 | 90 19 3'235 | 90 30 7'609 | 90 1 3 2 6½ | 90 223 0 18 | |
| 100 109'363 | 100 62 243 | 100 22 0'039 | 100 34 3'121 | 100 1 3 24 7 | 100 247 0 14 | |
| 200 218'727 | 200 124 487 | 200 44 0'077 | 200 68 6'242 | 200 3 3 20 16 | 200 494 0 37 | |
| 300 328'090 | 300 186 730 | 300 66 0'116 | 300 103 1'362 | 300 5 3 17 6 | 300 741 1 15 | |
| 400 437'453 | 400 248 973 | 400 88 0'155 | 400 137 4'483 | 400 7 3 13 14 | 400 988 1 33 | |
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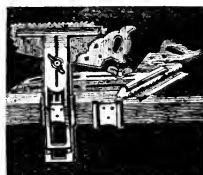
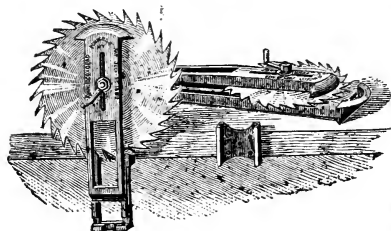
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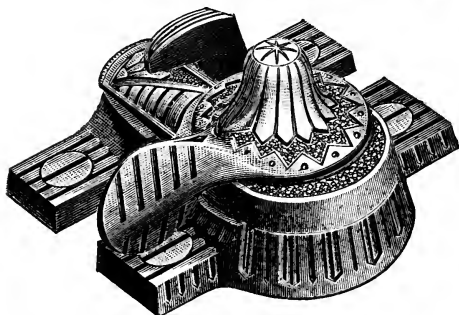
HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY AND WEIGHTS OF VARIOUS SUBSTANCES.

| NAMES OF SUBSTANCES. | Average Weights. | | Specific Gravity. | Average Weights. | | Specific Gravity. |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| | Per Cubic Ft. | Per Sq. Ft. 1 in. thick | | Per Cubic Ft. | Per Sq. Ft. 1 in. thick | |
| Antifratic, solid, of Pa..... | 93 | | 1.60 | Lead..... | 711 | 11.4 |
| " broken, loose..... | 64 | | | " per bushel, 66 lbs..... | 53 | |
| " heaped bushel, loose..... | 58 | bushel, | heaped.) | Limestone and marble..... | 168 | 2.7 |
| Asphaltum..... | (80 per | 7.25 | | Masonry, granite or limestone..... | 165 | |
| Brass, cast..... | 87 | 42. | 8.09 | " rubble..... | 154 | |
| " rolled..... | 524 | 43.7 | 8.4 | " sandstone..... | 138 | |
| Brick, best pressed..... | 524 | | 2.4 | Mercery, at 32° F..... | 144 | 13.6 |
| " common hard..... | 125 | | 2 | Mortar, hardened..... | 849 | 1.66 |
| " soft..... | 100 | | 1.6 | Mud, dry..... | 103 | |
| Brickwork, pressed brick..... | 140 | | 2.25 | Petroleum..... | 80-110 | 8.6 |
| " ordinary..... | 112 | | 1.8 | Quartz..... | 55 | |
| Cement, Rosendale (loose)..... | 56 | | | Salt, Syracuse, coarse..... | 165 | |
| " Louisville..... | 50 | | 1.3 | " fine Liverpool..... | 45 | |
| " Portland..... | 90 | | 1.35 | Sand, pure, dry, loose..... | 90-106 | |
| Coal, bituminous, solid..... | 84 | | | " shaken..... | 99-117 | |
| " broken, loose..... | 49 | | heaped.) | " perfectly wet..... | 120-140 | |
| Coke, loose..... | (74 per | bushel, | | Sandstone..... | 151 | 2.43 |
| " heaped bushel, 35 lbs..... | 27 | | | Shales, red or black..... | 162 | 2.6 |
| Copper, cast..... | 542 | 45.2 | 8.7 | Silver..... | 655 | 10.5 |
| " rolled..... | 548 | 45.7 | 8.8 | Slate..... | 175 | 2.8 |
| Earth, common dry, loose..... | 76 | | | Snow, fresh..... | 5-12 | |
| " rammed..... | 95 | | | " slush..... | 15-20 | |
| " soft mud..... | 108 | | | Steel..... | 490 | 7.9 |
| Glass..... | 127 | 13. | 2.53 | Sulphur..... | 125 | 2.0 |
| Gneiss..... | 168 | | 2.7 | Tar..... | 62 | 1.0 |
| Gold, cast, 24 karat..... | 1204 | | 19.3 | Tin..... | 450 | 7.4 |
| " hammered, 24 karat..... | 1217 | | 19.6 | Turf or Peat, dry..... | 20-30 | |
| Granite..... | 170 | | 2.73 | Water, pure, at 60° F..... | 62½ | 1.00 |
| Ice..... | 58.7 | | 0.95 | " sea..... | 64 | 1.028 |
| Iron, cast..... | 450 | 37.5 | 7.24 | " wrought, cast..... | 446 | 7.15 |
| " wrought (hammered)..... | 485 | 40.6 | 7.8 | " " rolled..... | 448 | 7.19 |
| " " (rolled)..... | 480 | 40. | 7.7 | | | |

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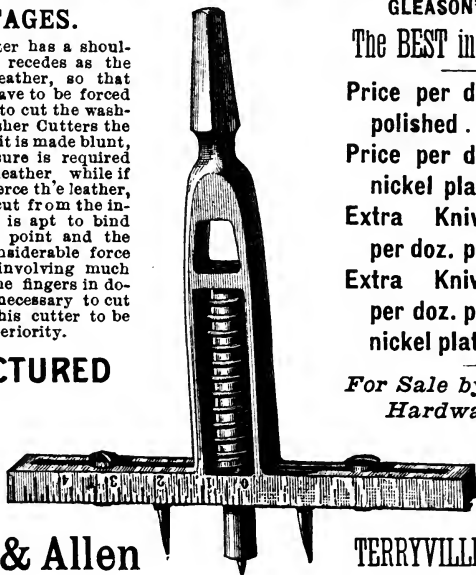
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ELECTRICAL CONDUCTIVITY OF METALS.

The most reliable tests of electric conductivity of the metals are those lately made by Mr. L. Weiller. They were conducted with a series of bars specially prepared for the purpose. The measurements were taken by means of a Wheatstone bridge with a sliding index, a differential galvanometer, and a battery of four cells. The results are given in the following table, the comparison being based on the conductivity of silver, which is taken as 100:

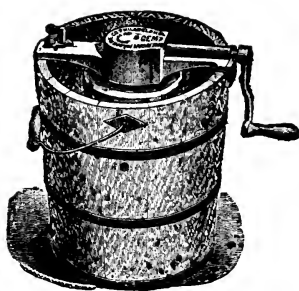
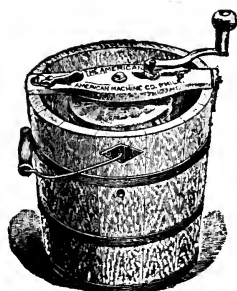
| Names of Metals. | Conductivity. |
|---|---------------|
| Silver, pure..... | 100 |
| Copper, pure..... | 100 |
| Copper, pure, super-refined and crystallized..... | 99.9 |
| Silicon bronze, telegraphic..... | 98 |
| Copper and silver alloy at 50 per cent..... | 86.65 |
| Gold, pure..... | 78 |
| Silicon copper, 4 per cent. of silicon..... | 75 |
| Silicon copper, 12 per cent. of silicon..... | 54.7 |
| Aluminium, pure..... | 54.2 |
| Tin, with 10 per cent. of sodium..... | 46.9 |
| Silicon bronze, telephonic..... | 35 |
| Plumbiferous copper, with 10 per cent. of lead..... | 30 |
| Zinc, pure..... | 29.9 |
| Phosphor-bronze..... | 29 |
| Silicon brass, with 25 per cent. of zinc..... | 26.49 |
| Brass, with 35 per cent. of zinc..... | 21.15 |
| Phosphor-tin..... | 17.7 |
| Gold and silver, 50 per cent. each..... | 16.12 |
| Swedish iron..... | 16 |
| Banca tin, pure..... | 15.45 |
| Antimonous copper..... | 12.7 |
| Aluminium bronze, 10 per cent. Al..... | 12.6 |
| Cadmium Amalgam, 15 per cent. Cd..... | 12.2 |
| Siemens steel..... | 12 |
| Mercurial bronze..... | 10.14 |
| Platinum, pure..... | 10.6 |
| Arsenical copper, 10 per cent. arsenic..... | 9.1 |
| Lead, pure..... | 8.88 |
| Bronze, with 20 per cent. of tin..... | 8.4 |
| Nickel, pure..... | 7.89 |
| Phosphor-bronze, 10 per cent. tin..... | 6.5 |
| Phosphor-copper, 9 per cent. phosphorus..... | 4.9 |
| Antimony..... | 3.88 |

Relative Non-Conductivity of Materials.

Mr. Charles E. Emery of New York recently made some experiments upon relative non-conductivity, with reference to the needs of the New York Steam Company. His apparatus consisted of a boiler 12 feet in diameter, with three 10-inch flues passing through it. Inside these flues were smaller tubes, through which the steam passed. The non-conductors surrounded the inner tubes, and water was kept circulating around the flues in the outer shell. A layer of hair felt 2 inches thick gave the best result, and using equal thicknesses of the other materials the following percentage was obtained:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|------|-------------------------------|------|
| Hair felt..... | 100 | Loam..... | 55 |
| Mineral wool, No. 2..... | 83.2 | Gas-works lime, slaked..... | 48 |
| Mineral wool, No. 2 and tar.... | 71.5 | Asbestos..... | 36.3 |
| Sawdust..... | 68 | Coal ashes..... | 34.5 |
| Mineral wool, No. 1..... | 67.6 | Fuel coke..... | 27.7 |
| Charcoal..... | 63.2 | Air space, 2 inches deep..... | 13.6 |
| Pine wood, across grain..... | 55.3 | | |

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SOME THINGS THAT ARE MISNAMED.

The misapplication of a name in speaking of the common things of life is a source of many errors, especially in the young. The reason why things are not rightly named in all cases is not because of any deficiency of our language, but because the names of most common substances were given long years ago, and very often before the true nature of the articles were understood. The "Journal of Applied Science" has this to say upon the subject:

Why should trade not have a Johnson to classify and correct the mass of inconsistencies that go to make up its nomenclature? We not only tax our brains to invent "fantastic" names for every new fabric, varied, perhaps, only by a thread or a shade from what our grandparents wore a century ago, but there are in use positive misnomers for many staple articles of merchandise. The following imperfect list, culled from sources already at hand, will give a faint idea of them:

Acid (sour), applied in chemistry to a class of bodies to which sourness is only accidental, and by no means a universal characteristic. Thus rock crystals, quartz, flint, etc., are chemical acids, though no particle of acidity belongs to them.

Black lead does not contain a single particle of lead, being composed of carbon and iron.

Brazilian grass does not come from Brazil, or even grow there; nor is it grass at all. It consists of a palm leaf (*Thrinax argentea*), and is imported chiefly from Cuba.

Burgundy pitch is not pitch, nor is it manufactured in or exported from Burgundy. The best is a resinous substance prepared from common frankincense, and brought from Hamburg; but by far the greater quantity is a mixture of rosin and palm oil.

China, as a name for porcelain, gives rise to the contradictory expressions—British china, Dutch china, Chelsea china, etc., like wooden milestones, iron milestones, brass shoe-horns, iron pens, steel pens.

Cuttle bone is not bone at all, but a structure of pure chalk, once embedded loosely in the substance of certain species of cuttle fish. It is enclosed in a membranous sac within the body of the fish, and drops out when the sac is opened, but it has no connection whatever with the sac of the cuttle fish.

Galvanized iron is not galvanized. It is simply iron coated with zinc; and this is done by dipping it in a zinc bath containing muriatic acid.

German silver is not silver at all, nor was the metallic alloy called by that name invented by a German, but has been in use in China time out of mind.

Honey soap contains no honey, nor is honey in any way employed in its manufacture. It is a mixture of palm oil, soap and olive-oil soap, each one part, with three parts of curd soap, or yellow soap scented.

Japan lacquer contains no lac at all, but is made from the sap of a tree called *Rhus vernicifera*.

Kid gloves are not usually made from kid skins, but of lamb or sheep skins. At present many of them are made of rat skins.

Meerschaum is not petrified "sea foam," as its name implies, but is a composition of silica, magnesia and water.

Mosaic gold has no connection with Moses or the metal gold. It is an alloy of copper and zinc, used in the ancient museum or tessellated work.

Mother-of-pearl is the inner layer of several sorts of shells. It is not the mother of pearl, as its name indicates, but in some cases the matrix of the pearl.

Pen means a feather (Latin *penna*, a wing). A steel pen is not a very choice expression.

Prussia blue does not come from Prussia, but is the precipitate of the salt of protoxide of iron with prussiate of potassa.

Salad oil is not oil for salad, but oil for cleaning saddles—i. e., helmets.

Salt is not salt at all, and has long been excluded from the class of bodies denominated "salts."

Sealing wax is not wax at all, nor does it contain a single particle of wax. It is made of shellac, Venice turpentine and cinnabar. Cinnabar gives it a deep, red color, and the turpentine renders the shellac soft and less brittle.

Sperm oil properly means "seed oil" (Latin, *sperma*, seed), from the notion that it was spermaceti (the sperm or melt of a whale). The sperm whale is the whale that gives "seed oil," which is taken chiefly, but not wholly from the head.

Whalebone is not bone at all, nor does it possess any of the properties of bone. It is a substance attached to the upper jaw of the whale, and serves to strain the water which the creature takes up in large mouthfuls.

Rhinoceros horn is not horn at all, but a kind of matted or compact hair, and is only like a horn from being a protuberance on the animal's head.

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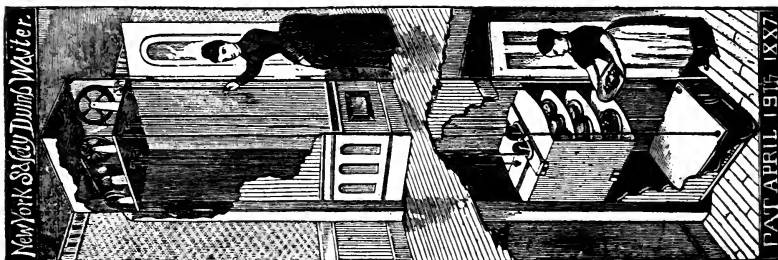
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Length and Number of Cut Nails to the Pound.

| SIZE. | Length. | Common. | Clinch. | Fence. | Finishing. | Fine. | Barrel. | Casing. | Brads. | Tobacco. | Cut Spikes. |
|---------------------|------------------|---------|---------|--------|------------|-------|---------|---------|--------|----------|------------------|
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ in | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 800 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ in | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 2d..... | 1 | 800 | ..... | ..... | 1100 | 1000 | 376 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 3d..... | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 480 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 720 | 760 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 4d..... | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 288 | ..... | ..... | 523 | 368 | 180 | 398 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 5d..... | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 200 | ..... | ..... | 410 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 130 | ..... |
| 6d..... | 2 | 168 | 95 | 84 | 268 | ..... | ..... | 224 | 126 | 96 | ..... |
| 7d..... | 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 124 | 74 | 64 | 184 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 98 | 82 | ..... |
| 8d..... | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 88 | 62 | 48 | 148 | ..... | ..... | 128 | 75 | 68 | ..... |
| 9d..... | 2 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 70 | 53 | 36 | 130 | ..... | ..... | 110 | 65 | ..... | ..... |
| 10d..... | 3 | 58 | 46 | 30 | 102 | ..... | ..... | 91 | 55 | ..... | 28 |
| 12d..... | 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 44 | 42 | 24 | 76 | ..... | ..... | 71 | 40 | ..... | ..... |
| 16d..... | 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 34 | 38 | 20 | 62 | ..... | ..... | 54 | 27 | ..... | 21 |
| 20d..... | 4 | 23 | 33 | 16 | 54 | ..... | ..... | 40 | ..... | ..... | 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 30d..... | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 18 | 20 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 33 | ..... | ..... | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 40d..... | 5 | 14 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 27 | ..... | ..... | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 50d..... | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 10 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8 |
| 60d..... | 6 | 8 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 |
| ..... | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| ..... | 7 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| ..... | 8 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ |

NUMBER OF TACKS IN A POUND.

| Title. | Length. | No. per lb. | Title. | Length. | No. per lb. |
|------------------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------------|
| 1 ounce. | $\frac{3}{8}$ inch. | 16,000 | 10 ounce. | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. | 1,600 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce. | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. | 10,666 | 12 ounce. | $\frac{5}{8}$ inch. | 1,332 |
| 2 ounce. | $\frac{5}{8}$ inch. | 8,000 | 14 ounce. | $\frac{3}{4}$ inch. | 1,143 |
| 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce. | $\frac{3}{4}$ inch. | 6,400 | 16 ounce. | $\frac{7}{8}$ inch. | 1,000 |
| 3 ounce. | $\frac{7}{8}$ inch. | 5,332 | 18 ounce. | 1 inch. | 888 |
| 4 ounce. | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. | 4,000 | 20 ounce. | $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. | 800 |
| 6 ounce. | $\frac{3}{8}$ inch. | 2,666 | 22 ounce. | 1 inch. | 727 |
| 8 ounce. | $\frac{1}{4}$ inch. | 2,000 | 24 ounce. | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. | 666 |

STANDARD WIRE BRAD LIST.

| Length. | Gauge. | | | Length. | Gauge. | | |
|-----------------|--------|------|--------|-----------------|--------|------|--------|
| Inch. | Fine. | Med. | Stout. | Inch. | Fine. | Med. | Stout. |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 21 | 20 | 19 | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 16 | 15 | 14 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 20 | 19 | 18 | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 15 | 14 | 13 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 20 | 19 | 18 | 2 | 14 | 13 | 12 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 19 | 18 | 17 | 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 14 | 13 | 12 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 18 | 17 | 16 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 13 | 12 | 11 |
| 1 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 13 | 12 | 11 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 17 | 16 | 15 | 3 | 12 | 11 | 10 |

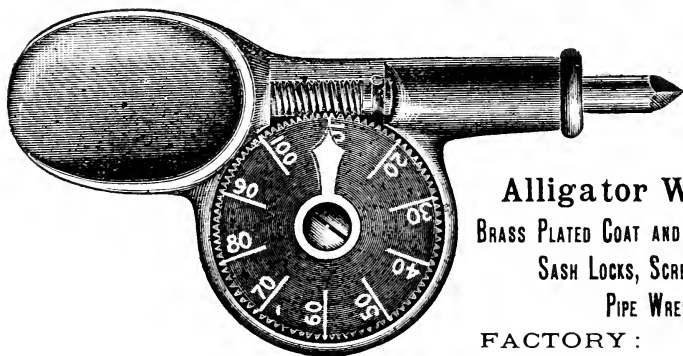
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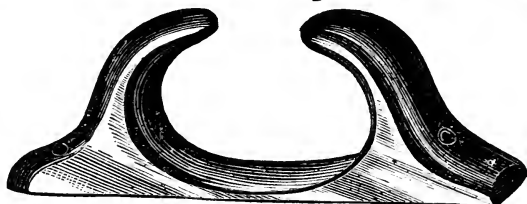
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For table showing the difference between Gauges, see Contents.

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Flat, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 lbs. per pair.

Hatchet, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 lbs. per pair.

Roofing, 11 lbs. per pair, with handles and shield.

Weights of Roof Coverings Per Square of 100 Square Feet.

| | Weight. | Last Slope. |
|--|-----------------|---------------|
| Slating..... | 550 to 650 lbs. | 26 to 30 deg. |
| Lead, $6\frac{1}{2}$ to 7 lbs. to square ft..... | 650 to 700 lbs. | 4 degrees. |
| Corrugated iron..... | 300 pounds. | 6 degrees. |
| Copper or zinc, 16 oz. per sq. ft..... | 100 pounds. | 4 degrees. |
| Tin, 20x28, flat seam..... | 66 pounds. | 3 degrees. |
| Tin, 20x28, standing seam..... | 69 pounds. | 8 degrees. |
| Tin, 14x20, standing seam..... | 74 pounds. | 8 degrees. |
| Tin, 14x20, flat seam..... | 68 pounds. | 3 degrees. |
| Boarding, $\frac{3}{4}$ thick..... | 250 pounds. | |
| Boarding, $1\frac{1}{2}$ thick..... | 500 pounds. | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

CUT SPIKES.

NUMBER IN KEG OF 100 POUNDS.

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|-----------|------|----|-----------|-----|----|-----------|-----|
| 3 | inch..... | 2900 | 5 | inch..... | 950 | 6½ | inch..... | 575 |
| 3½ | " | 2100 | 5½ | " | 850 | 7 | " | 450 |
| 4 | " | 1500 | 6 | " | 775 | 8 | " | 375 |
| 4½ | " | 1150 | | | | | | |

RAILROAD SPIKES.

NUMBER IN 100 POUNDS.

| Thick- ness. | Length. | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 14 |
| 1 inch | 1340 | 1060 | 870 | 680 | | | | | | |
| 1 1/8 inch | | 620 | 580 | 540 | | | | | | |
| 1 1/4 inch | | | 460 | 380 | 320 | 290 | 250 | | | |
| 1 3/8 inch | | | 320 | 280 | 240 | 220 | 200 | | | |
| 1 1/2 inch | | | 260 | 210 | 180 | 170 | 140 | 130 | 110 | |
| 1 3/4 inch | | | 170 | 130 | | | 100 | 90 | 80 | 70 |

WROUGHT BOAT AND SHIP SPIKES.

NUMBER IN A KEG OF 150 POUNDS.

| Thick- ness. | Length. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 3 | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 5½ | 6 | 6½ | 7 | 7½ | 8 | 8½ | 9 | 10 |
| 1 inch | 1910 | 1585 | 1326 | 1223 | 1025 | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 1/8 | 1010 | 963 | 810 | 605 | 583 | | 521 | | | | | | | |
| 1 1/4 | | | 542 | 503 | 461 | 423 | 402 | 321 | | | | | | |
| 1 3/8 | | | | | 340 | 312 | 298 | 280 | 261 | 240 | 223 | | | |
| 1 1/2 | | | | | | | 221 | 200 | 190 | 180 | 170 | 160 | 150 | 130 |
| 1 3/4 | | | | | | | | | | | 140 | 130 | 120 | 100 |

WEIGHT AND THICKNESS OF BOILER IRON.

| | | | | | | | |
|------|-------------|-----|------------------|-------|--------------|------|-------------|
| 1/8 | inch weighs | 5 | lbs. per sq. ft. | No. 1 | Iron is..... | 5/16 | inch thick. |
| 3/16 | " | 7½ | " | No. 3 | " | 3/8 | " |
| 1/4 | " | 10 | " | No. 4 | " | 1/2 | " |
| 5/16 | " | 12½ | " | No. 5 | " | 5/8 | " |
| 3/8 | " | 15 | " | No. 7 | " | 3/4 | " |
| 1/2 | " | 17½ | " | | | 7/8 | " |
| 5/8 | " | 20 | " | | | | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

TABLE

SHOWING AVERAGE WEIGHT PER FATHOM, ADMIRALTY TEST, AND SIZES OF CHAINS REQUIRED FOR VESSELS, ACCORDING TO THEIR REGISTERED TONNAGE. FOR LOW DECK VESSELS ADD ONE FIFTH TO THE TONNAGE.

| Size. Inches. | Common Coil Weight in 100 feet. | Proved. Av'g Weight per Fathom. | | Size of Rope. Inches. | Proof. | | Ship's Ton- nage. | Size of Anchor. |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| | | Stud. | Short Link. | | Cable Chain. | R B B Crane Chain. | | |
| 3-16 | 50 | ..... | 4 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 80 | ..... | 6 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | ..... | ..... |
| 5-16 | 100 | ..... | 7 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 | ..... | ..... |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 140 | ..... | 9 | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 | 3 | ..... | ..... |
| 7-16 | 210 | ..... | 12 | 4 | 3 | 4 | ..... | ..... |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 265 | ..... | 15 | $4\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 | 5 | 30 | 150 |
| 9-16 | 320 | ..... | 19 | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | 5 | 6 | 50 | 200 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 420 | ..... | 25 | $6\frac{1}{4}$ | 6 | 8 | 75 | 300 |
| 11-16 | 500 | ..... | 31 | 7 | 8 | 10 | 100 | 400 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 590 | ..... | 33 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | 10 | 12 | 100 | 500 |
| 13-16 | 680 | ..... | 33 | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | 12 | 14 | 110 | 600 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 790 | ..... | 43 | $9\frac{1}{4}$ | 14 | 16 | 130 | 700 |
| 15-16 | ..... | ..... | 50 | 10 | 16 | 18 | 160 | 800 |
| 1 | ..... | 53 | 61 | $10\frac{1}{4}$ | 18 | 22 | 200 | 900 |
| 1 1-16 | ..... | 65 | 69 | $11\frac{1}{4}$ | 20 | 26 | 240 | 1,100 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 72 | 76 | 12 | 23 | 23 | 250 | 1,300 |
| 1 3-16 | ..... | 80 | 85 | $12\frac{3}{4}$ | 26 | 30 | 320 | 1,450 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 89 | 95 | $13\frac{1}{4}$ | 28 | 34 | 360 | 1,600 |
| 1 5-16 | ..... | 93 | 104 | $14\frac{1}{4}$ | 30 | 37 | 400 | 1,750 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 110 | 115 | 15 | 34 | 41 | 440 | 1,900 |
| 1 7-16 | ..... | 118 | 125 | $15\frac{1}{4}$ | 37 | 44 | 500 | 2,100 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 128 | 135 | 16 | 41 | 48 | 550 | 2,300 |
| 1 9-16 | ..... | 138 | 148 | $16\frac{1}{4}$ | 44 | 52 | 600 | 2,500 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 150 | 160 | $17\frac{1}{4}$ | 48 | 66 | 700 | 2,700 |
| 1 11-16 | ..... | 161 | ..... | 18 | 52 | ..... | 850 | 2,900 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 175 | ..... | $18\frac{1}{4}$ | 56 | ..... | 1,000 | 3,100 |
| 1 13-16 | ..... | 188 | ..... | $19\frac{1}{4}$ | 60 | ..... | 1,150 | 3,300 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ..... | 200 | ..... | 20 | 64 | ..... | 1,300 | 3,500 |
| 1 15-16 | | 215 | | 21 | 68 | | 1,450 | 3,700 |
| 2 | | 230 | | 22 | 72 | | 1,600 | 3,900 |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | | 250 | | | 80 | | 2,000 | 4,300 |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | | 290 | | | 88 | | 2,500 | 4,700 |

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German Coil Chain.

| Wire Gauge..... | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
|-------------------------------|-----|-----------------|-----|-----|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----|----------------|
| Number..... | 000 | 00 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Weight in lbs. of 100 feet... | 37 | $30\frac{1}{2}$ | 24 | 19 | $14\frac{3}{4}$ | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | $8\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Breaking Strength..... | 695 | 590 | 520 | 488 | 360 | 322 | | | |

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|--------------------------|---------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| 6 thd. | $\frac{3}{8}$ in. | 12 | 17 | 540 | 50 feet, |
| 9 " | $\frac{1}{2}$ " | 18 | 24 | 780 | 33 " 4 in. |
| 12 " | $\frac{5}{8}$ " | 24 | 34 | 1000 | 25 " " |
| 15 " | $\frac{3}{4}$ " | 30 | 45 | 1280 | 20 " " |
| 1 in. | $\frac{7}{8}$ " | 37 | 50 | 1562 | 17 " 8 in. |
| 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ " | 1 " | 46 | 55 | 2250 | 13 " " |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " | $1\frac{1}{8}$ " | 65 | 85 | 3062 | 9 " 3 in. |
| 2 " | $1\frac{1}{4}$ " | 80 | 100 | 4000 | 7 " 6 in. |
| 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $1\frac{3}{8}$ " | 98 | 125 | 5000 | 6 " " |
| 3 " | $1\frac{1}{2}$ " | 120 | 155 | 6250 | 5 " " |
| 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $1\frac{3}{4}$ " | 142 | 190 | 7500 | 4 " 3 in. |
| 4 " | 2 " | 170 | 225 | 9000 | 3 " 6 in. |
| 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $2\frac{1}{8}$ " | 200 | 265 | 10500 | 3 " " |
| 5 " | $2\frac{1}{4}$ " | 230 | 300 | 12250 | 2 " 7 in. |
| 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $2\frac{3}{8}$ " | 271 | 350 | 14000 | 2 " 3 in. |
| 6 " | $2\frac{1}{2}$ " | 310 | 405 | 16000 | 1 " 11 in. |
| 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $2\frac{3}{4}$ " | 346 | 455 | 18662 | 1 " 8 in. |
| 7 " | $2\frac{7}{8}$ " | 390 | 510 | 20250 | 1 " 6 in. |
| 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | 3 " | 435 | 575 | 22500 | 1 " 5 in. |
| 8 " | $3\frac{1}{8}$ " | 480 | 640 | 25000 | 1 " 3 in. |
| 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $3\frac{1}{4}$ " | 581 | 775 | 30250 | 1 " " |
| 9 " | $3\frac{3}{8}$ " | 678 | 930 | 36000 | 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ in. |
| 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $3\frac{1}{2}$ " | 797 | 1075 | 42250 | 9 in. |
| 10 " | $3\frac{3}{4}$ " | 920 | 1245 | 49000 | 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ in. |
| 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $3\frac{7}{8}$ " | 1106 | 1405 | 56250 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. |
| 11 " | $4 "$ | 1265 | 1600 | 64000 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. |
| 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $4\frac{1}{8}$ " | 1420 | 1780 | 72250 | 5 in. |
| 12 " | $4\frac{1}{4}$ " | 1572 | 2030 | 81000 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. |
| 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | $4\frac{3}{8}$ " | 1760 | 2285 | 90250 | 4 in. |
| 13 " | $4\frac{1}{2}$ " | 1951 | 2550 | 100000 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. |

The relative strength of Manila to Sisal is about as 7 is to 5; or Manila is about 25 per cent. stronger than Sisal. Hawser-laid Rope will weigh one-sixth less.

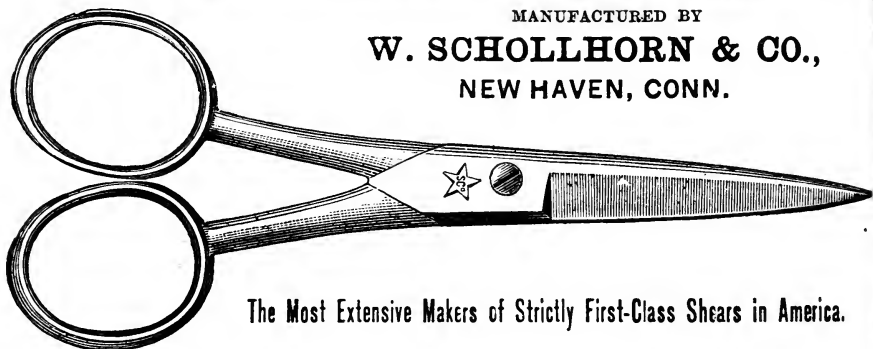
Number of Railroad Spikes Used to One Mile of Track.

| Size measured under head. | Average No. per keg of 200 lbs. | Ties 2 feet between centers, 4 spikes per tie makes per mile. | Rail used, weight per yard. |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| $6\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{9}{16}$ | 375 | 5870 lbs = 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ kegs. | 45 to 70 |
| $5 \times \frac{7}{8}$ | 400 | 5170 " = 26 " " | 40 to 56 |
| $5 \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 450 | 4660 " = 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | 35 to 40 |
| $4\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 530 | 3960 " = 20 " " | 28 to 35 |
| $4 \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 600 | 3520 " = 17 $\frac{3}{4}$ " " | 24 to 35 |
| $4\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{7}{8}$ | 680 | 3110 " = 15 $\frac{3}{4}$ " " | } 20 to 30 |
| $4 \times \frac{7}{8}$ | 720 | 2910 " = 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | |
| $3\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 900 | 2350 " = 11 " " | |
| $4 \times \frac{3}{4}$ | 1000 | 2090 " = 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | 16 to 25 |
| $3\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{4}$ | 1190 | 1780 " = 9 " " | } 16 to 20 |
| $3 \times \frac{3}{4}$ | 1240 | 1710 " = 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | |
| $2\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{4}$ | 1342 | 1575 " = 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ " " | 12 to 16 |

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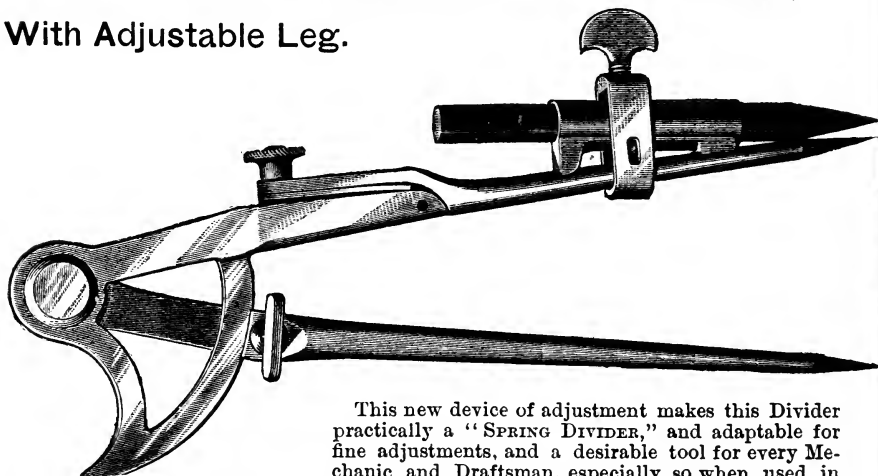
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FROM BROWN & SHARPE. TABLE OF DECIMAL EQUIVALENTS. of 8ths, 16ths, 32nds and 64ths of an Inch.

FOR USE IN CONNECTION WITH
MICROMETER CALIPER.

| 8ths. | 32nds. | 64ths. | 64ths. |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| $\frac{1}{8}$ = .125 | $\frac{1}{32}$ = .03125 | $\frac{1}{64}$ = .015625 | $\frac{1}{64}$ = .015625 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ = .250 | $\frac{3}{32}$ = .09375 | $\frac{3}{64}$ = .046875 | $\frac{3}{64}$ = .046875 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ = .375 | $\frac{5}{32}$ = .15625 | $\frac{5}{64}$ = .078125 | $\frac{5}{64}$ = .078125 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ = .500 | $\frac{7}{32}$ = .21875 | $\frac{7}{64}$ = .109375 | $\frac{7}{64}$ = .109375 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ = .625 | $\frac{9}{32}$ = .28125 | $\frac{9}{64}$ = .140625 | $\frac{9}{64}$ = .140625 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ = .750 | $\frac{11}{32}$ = .34375 | $\frac{11}{64}$ = .171875 | $\frac{11}{64}$ = .171875 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ = .875 | $\frac{13}{32}$ = .40625 | $\frac{13}{64}$ = .203125 | $\frac{13}{64}$ = .203125 |
| 16ths. | $\frac{15}{32}$ = .46875 | $\frac{15}{64}$ = .234375 | $\frac{15}{64}$ = .234375 |
| $\frac{1}{16}$ = .0625 | $\frac{17}{32}$ = .53125 | $\frac{17}{64}$ = .265625 | $\frac{17}{64}$ = .265625 |
| $\frac{3}{16}$ = .1875 | $\frac{19}{32}$ = .59375 | $\frac{19}{64}$ = .296875 | $\frac{19}{64}$ = .296875 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ = .3125 | $\frac{21}{32}$ = .65625 | $\frac{21}{64}$ = .328125 | $\frac{21}{64}$ = .328125 |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ = .3125 | $\frac{23}{32}$ = .71875 | $\frac{23}{64}$ = .359375 | $\frac{23}{64}$ = .359375 |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ = .4375 | $\frac{25}{32}$ = .78125 | $\frac{25}{64}$ = .390625 | $\frac{25}{64}$ = .390625 |
| $\frac{9}{16}$ = .5625 | $\frac{27}{32}$ = .84375 | $\frac{27}{64}$ = .421875 | $\frac{27}{64}$ = .421875 |
| $\frac{11}{16}$ = .6875 | $\frac{29}{32}$ = .90625 | $\frac{29}{64}$ = .453125 | $\frac{29}{64}$ = .453125 |
| $\frac{13}{16}$ = .8125 | $\frac{31}{32}$ = .96875 | $\frac{31}{64}$ = .484375 | $\frac{31}{64}$ = .484375 |
| $\frac{15}{16}$ = .9375 | | | |

TABLE OF DECIMAL EQUIVALENTS * OF MILLIMETERS AND FRACTIONS OF MILLIMETERS, FOR USE IN CONNECTION WITH METRIC MICROMETER CALIPER.

| mm. | Inches. | mm. | Inches. | mm. | Inches. | mm. | Inches. |
|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|--------------|---------|
| $\frac{1}{16}$ = .00079 | | $\frac{2}{16}$ = .01575 | | $\frac{3}{16}$ = .03071 | | 9 = .35433 | |
| $\frac{2}{16}$ = .00157 | | $\frac{3}{16}$ = .01654 | | $\frac{4}{16}$ = .03150 | | 10 = .39370 | |
| $\frac{3}{16}$ = .00236 | | $\frac{4}{16}$ = .01732 | | $\frac{5}{16}$ = .03228 | | 11 = .43307 | |
| $\frac{4}{16}$ = .00315 | | $\frac{5}{16}$ = .01811 | | $\frac{6}{16}$ = .03307 | | 12 = .47244 | |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ = .00394 | | $\frac{6}{16}$ = .01890 | | $\frac{7}{16}$ = .03386 | | 13 = .51181 | |
| $\frac{6}{16}$ = .00472 | | $\frac{7}{16}$ = .01969 | | $\frac{8}{16}$ = .03465 | | 14 = .55118 | |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ = .00551 | | $\frac{8}{16}$ = .02047 | | $\frac{9}{16}$ = .03543 | | 15 = .59055 | |
| $\frac{8}{16}$ = .00630 | | $\frac{9}{16}$ = .02126 | | $\frac{10}{16}$ = .03622 | | 16 = .62992 | |
| $\frac{9}{16}$ = .00709 | | $\frac{10}{16}$ = .02205 | | $\frac{11}{16}$ = .03701 | | 17 = .66929 | |
| $\frac{10}{16}$ = .00787 | | $\frac{11}{16}$ = .02283 | | $\frac{12}{16}$ = .03780 | | 18 = .70866 | |
| $\frac{11}{16}$ = .00866 | | $\frac{12}{16}$ = .02362 | | $\frac{13}{16}$ = .03858 | | 19 = .74803 | |
| $\frac{12}{16}$ = .00945 | | $\frac{13}{16}$ = .02441 | | 1 = .03937 | | 20 = .78740 | |
| $\frac{13}{16}$ = .01024 | | $\frac{14}{16}$ = .02520 | | 2 = .07874 | | 21 = .82677 | |
| $\frac{14}{16}$ = .01102 | | $\frac{15}{16}$ = .02598 | | 3 = .11811 | | 22 = .86614 | |
| $\frac{15}{16}$ = .01181 | | $\frac{16}{16}$ = .02677 | | 4 = .15748 | | 23 = .90551 | |
| $\frac{16}{16}$ = .01260 | | $\frac{17}{16}$ = .02756 | | 5 = .19685 | | 24 = .94488 | |
| $\frac{17}{16}$ = .01339 | | $\frac{18}{16}$ = .02835 | | 6 = .23622 | | 25 = .98425 | |
| $\frac{18}{16}$ = .01417 | | $\frac{19}{16}$ = .02913 | | 7 = .27559 | | 26 = 1.02362 | |
| $\frac{19}{16}$ = .01496 | | $\frac{20}{16}$ = .02992 | | 8 = .31496 | | | |

10 mm. = 1 Centimeter = 0.3937 inches.
10 cm. = 1 Decimeter = 3.937 "
10 dm. = 1 Meter = 39.37 "
25.4 mm. = 1 English Inch.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

OVAL SLIDE VISES.

SIZES OF SCREWS AND LENGTH OF JAWS.

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Nos | 00 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Sizes of Screws...inches | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ |
| Length of Jaws...inches | 2 | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Weight, pounds | $7\frac{3}{4}$ | 11 | 18 | 29 | $36\frac{1}{2}$ | 54 |

SOLID BOX VISES.

LENGTH OF JAWS TO EACH SIZE MANUFACTURED.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Nos | 25 | 30 | 35 | 40 | 45 | 50 | 55 | 60 | 65 |
| Length of Jaws...inches | $3\frac{3}{8}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $3\frac{7}{8}$ | 4 | $4\frac{1}{4}$ | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | $4\frac{3}{4}$ | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | $4\frac{3}{4}$ |

SOLID BOX VISES.—(CONTINUED.)

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----|-----|----------------|-----|
| Nos | 70 | 75 | 80 | 85 | 90 | 95 | 100 | 105 | 110 |
| Lg'th of Jaws, inches | 5 | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{3}{4}$ | 6 | 6 | $6\frac{1}{4}$ | |

SOLID BOX VISES.—(CONTINUED.)

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----|-----|
| Nos | 115 | 120 | 125 | 130 | 135 | 140 | 145 |
| Length of Jaws....inches | $6\frac{1}{4}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $6\frac{3}{4}$ | $6\frac{3}{4}$ | 7 | 7 |

SOLID BOX VISES.—(CONTINUED.)

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----|----------------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Nos | 150 | 160 | 170 | 180 | 190 | 200 |
| Length of Jaws.....inches | 7 | $7\frac{1}{4}$ | $7\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 | 8 | 8 |

BOXES AND SCREWS.

Diam. of Screw.

| | | |
|----------------------|--------|---------------------------------|
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch. | No. 1, | for Vises from No. 30 to No. 50 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ " | " 2, | " " " 55 to " 70 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ " | " 3, | " " " 75 to " 85 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ " | " 4, | " " " 90 to " 100 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ " | " 5, | " " " 105 to " 125 |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ " | " 6, | " " " 130 to " 195 |
| 2 " | " 7, | " " " 200 to " 250 |

Rope and Iron-Strapped Tackle Blocks.

DIAMETER OF SHEAVES AND SIZE OF ROPE TAKEN BY EACH.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Lg'th of Blocks...inches | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Diam. of Wheels...inches | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $4\frac{1}{4}$ | 5 | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $7\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 |
| Diam. of Rope....inches | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | 1 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ |

THICK MORTISE BLOCKS.

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----|
| Length of Blocks.....inches | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 15 |
| Diameter of Wheels.....inches | $5\frac{3}{4}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $7\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 | |
| Diameter of Rope.....inches | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

PERKINS HORSE SHOES.

Weight expressed in ounces.

| Front Shoes, No. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Light..... | 13 | 15 | 17 | 21 | 24 | 29 | 35 | | |
| Medium..... | | 17 | 20 | 24 | 28 | 34 | 38 | | |
| Heavy..... | | 19 | 22 | 27 | 32 | 36 | 41 | 49 | 54 |
| Hind Shoes, No. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Light..... | 10 | 12 | 15 | 18 | 22 | 26 | 31 | | |
| Medium..... | | 14 | 16 | 20 | 24 | 28 | 33 | | |
| Heavy..... | | 14 | 17 | 21 | 25 | 30 | 34 | 38 | 43 |
| Mule, No..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |
| Front Shoes..... | 10 | 12 | 15 | 18 | 22 | 25 | 29 | | |

"Ausable" Horse Shoe Nails.

STANDARD SIZES.

| No..... | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 12 |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Length in inches. | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 1 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 2 $\frac{7}{16}$ | 2 $\frac{9}{16}$ | 2 $\frac{11}{16}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{16}$ |
| Number in pound | 276 | 168 | 138 | 110 | 96 | 80 | 73 | 57 |

WEIGHT OF IRON TIRE.—Per Set of 54 feet.

| Size. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. |
|----------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|------|
| 1 x $\frac{3}{16}$ | 34 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 56 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{5}{16}$ | 169 |
| 1 x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 45 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{5}{16}$ | 70 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 148 |
| 1 x $\frac{5}{16}$ | 56 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 85 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 183 |
| 1 x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 68 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 99 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{3}{4}$ | 158 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 50 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 113 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{5}{8}$ | 197 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{5}{16}$ | 63 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 93 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{3}{4}$ | 236 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 75 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 124 | 2 x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 180 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 88 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 101 | 2 x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 225 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 101 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 135 | 2 x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 270 |

WEIGHT OF STEEL TIRE.—Per Set of 54 feet.

| Size. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. |
|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| $\frac{5}{8}$ x $\frac{1}{16}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ x $\frac{3}{32}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 22 $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ x $\frac{7}{32}$ | 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{32}$ | 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{8}$ | 18 | $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{5}{32}$ | 22 | $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{16}$ | 27 | $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ x $\frac{3}{32}$ | 15 $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ x $\frac{1}{8}$ | 20 $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ x $\frac{5}{32}$ | 25 | $\frac{7}{8}$ x $\frac{3}{16}$ | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 x $\frac{1}{8}$ | 23 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1 x $\frac{5}{32}$ | 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 x $\frac{3}{16}$ | 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 x $\frac{7}{32}$ | 42 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1 x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 47 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 x $\frac{5}{16}$ | 58 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{5}{32}$ | 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 54 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{16}$ | 67 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 81 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{4}$ | 59 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{5}{16}$ | 74 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{8}$ | 88 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 98 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x $\frac{3}{4}$ | 107 |
| 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{16}$ | 124 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 142 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 154 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 165 | 2 x $\frac{1}{2}$ | 190 |

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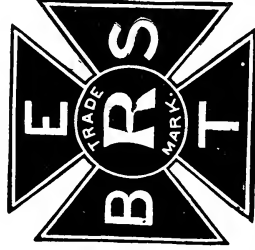
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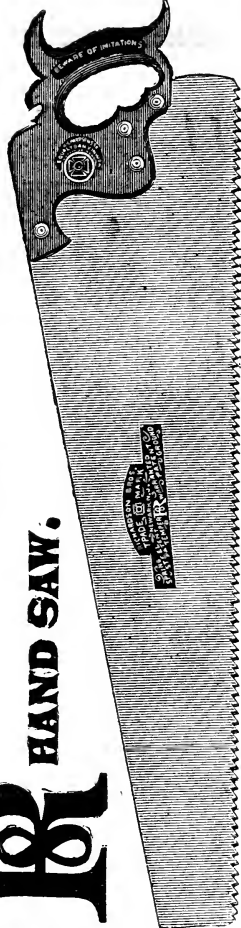
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Standard Sizes of Circular Saw Mandrels.

| No. | Diameter of Pulley. | Face of Pulley. | Diameter of Flange. | Length of Shaft. | Diameter of Shaft. | Size of Hole in Saw. |
|-----|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | 2½ ins. | 3½ ins. | 2½ ins. | 14 ins. | 1 1-16 in. | 1 in. |
| 2 | 3 " " | 4 " " | 3 " " | 16 " " | 1 3-16 " " | 1½ " " |
| 3 | 3½ " " | 4½ " " | 3½ " " | 18 " " | 1 5-16 " " | 1¾ " " |
| 4 | 4 " " | 5 " " | 4 " " | 20 " " | 1 7-16 " " | 1 5-16 " " |
| 5 | 4½ " " | 5½ " " | 4½ " " | 22 " " | 1 7-16 " " | 1 5-16 " " |
| 6 | 5 " " | 6 " " | 5 " " | 24 " " | 1 7-16 " " | 1 " " |
| 7 | 5½ " " | 6½ " " | 5½ " " | 26 " " | 1 7-16 " " | 1 " " |
| 8 | 6 " " | 7 " " | 6 " " | 28 " " | 1 9-16 " " | 1 " " |
| 9 | 7 " " | 8 " " | 6 " " | 32 " " | 1 11-16 " " | 1 " " |
| 10 | 8 " " | 8 " " | 6 " " | 36 " " | 1 13-16 " " | 1 " " |

When Ordering Circular Saws,

The following directions should be explicitly given :

Diameter of Saw in inches.

Thickness (or Gauge) of Saw at Rim.

Thickness (or Gauge) of Saw at Centre.

Log side, right or left hand, saw *cutting towards you*.

Number of Teeth in Saw.

Kind and number of Tooth.

Size of mandrel hole.

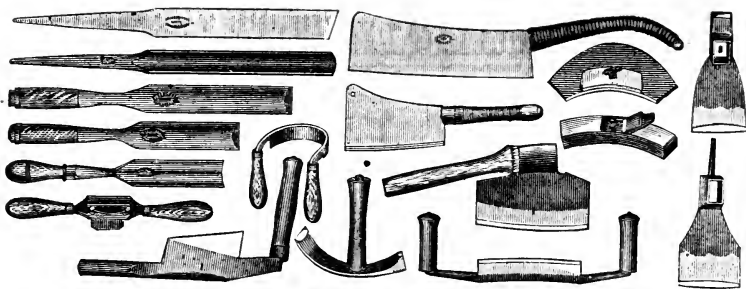
Size of pin hole.

Distance between pin holes from centre to centre.

Standard Gauges for Circular and Mill Saws.

| Gauge. | | Gauge. | |
|------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|
| No. 4..... | ¼ inch, scant. | No. 11..... | ½ inch, scant. |
| " 5..... | 7-32 " " | " 12..... | 3-32 " full. |
| " 6..... | 3-16 " full. | " 13..... | 3-32 " scant. |
| " 7..... | 3-16 " scant. | " 14..... | 5-64 " full. |
| " 8..... | 5-32 " " | " 15..... | 5-64 " scant. |
| " 9..... | 5-32 " scant. | " 16..... | 1-16 " full. |
| " 10..... | ½ " full. | | |

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| Nos..... | 1 | 2 | 3 |
|-----------------|----|----|------------|
| Shingling | 3½ | 3¾ | 4¾ inches. |
| Claw..... | 3½ | 3¾ | 4¾ inches. |
| Half..... | 3½ | 3¾ | 4¾ inches. |
| Lath | 2½ | 2¾ | 3 inches. |

| No..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|------------|----|----|---|----|---|----|----|----|-----------|
| Bench..... | 3¾ | 4½ | 5 | 5½ | 6 | 6¾ | 7½ | 8¼ | 9 inches. |

Weights of Washoe (Adz Eye) Picks.

RAILROAD PICKS.

| Nos..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|-------------|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|---------|
| Weight..... | 5 | 5½ | 6 | 6½ | 7 | 7½ | 8 | 8½ lbs. |

MINING OR DRIFTING PICKS.

| Nos..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|----|--------|
| Weight | 3 | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 5½ | 6 | 6½ | 7 lbs. |

POLL PICKS.

| Nos..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|----|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|---------|
| Weight | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 5½ | 6 | 6½ | 7 | 7½ lbs. |

COAL PICKS.

| Nos..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|-------------|----|---|----|---|---|---------|
| Weight..... | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 6 | 6½ lbs. |

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|------------------|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|--------|
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|-------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
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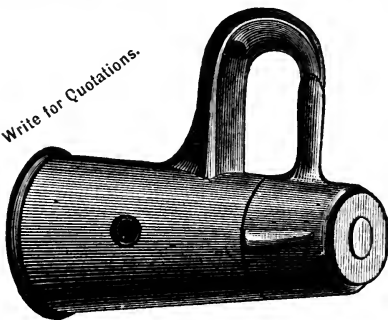
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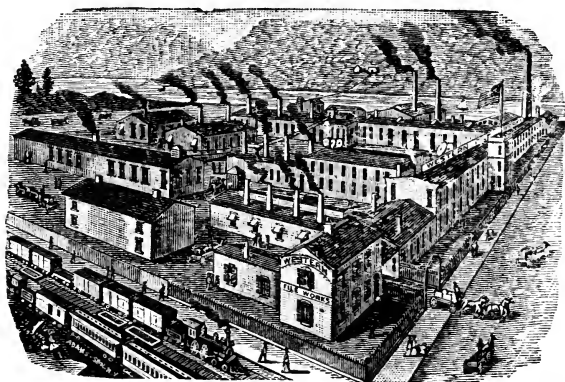
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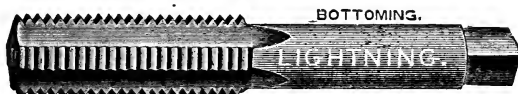


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|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 20 | .185 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | 18 | .240 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 16 | .294 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 14 | .344 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 13 | .400 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 12 | .454 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 11 | .507 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 10 | .620 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 9 | .731 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 8 | .837 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 7 | .940 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 7 | 1.065 | 2 | 2 | 2 | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 6 | 1.160 | 2 | 2 | 2 | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 6 | 1.284 | 2 | 2 | 2 | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.389 | 2 | 2 | 2 | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 5 | 1.491 | 2 | 2 | 2 | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 5 | 1.616 | 2 | 2 | 2 | $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| 2 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.712 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| 2 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.962 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| 2 | 4 | 2.176 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| 2 | 4 | 2.426 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 |
| 3 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2.629 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| 3 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2.879 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 |
| 3 | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 3.100 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 |
| 3 | 3 | 3.317 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 |
| 4 | 3 | 3.567 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 |

BLOCK TIN PIPE.

| CALIBER. | Wt. per ft. | | CALIBER. | Wt. per ft. | |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|-------------|-----|
| | LBS. | OZ. | | LBS. | OZ. |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ in. strong | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ in. double ex-strong | 15 | |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ inch ex-strong | 5 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ in. ex-strong | 9 | |
| double ex-strong | 6 | | double ex-strong | 14 | |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ in. dou'le ex-strong | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ in. ex-strong | 11 | |
| in. ex-strong | 6 | | double ex-strong | 1 | 0 |
| double ex-strong | 8 | | 1 in. double ex-strong | 14 | |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ in. strong | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | | double ex-strong | 1 | 4 |
| ex-strong | 10 | | | | |

CAST IRON BALLS.—WEIGHT.

| | LBS. | | LBS. | | LBS. |
|------------------|------|-----------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| 2 in. diam..... | 1.09 | 4½ in. diam ... | 12.42 | 6½ in. diam..... | 37.44 |
| 2½ in. diam..... | 2.13 | 5 in. diam ... | 17.04 | 7 in. diam..... | 46.76 |
| 3 in. diam..... | 3.68 | 5½ in. diam ... | 22.68 | 7½ in. diam..... | 57.52 |
| 3½ in. diam..... | 5.84 | 6 in. diam ... | 29.48 | 8 in. diam..... | 69.81 |
| 4 in. diam..... | 8.73 | | | | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

TABLE

SHOWING THE AVERAGE NUMBER OF COLD-PRESSED NUTS IN A KEG, 150 LBS.
EACH, SQUARE AND HEXAGON, OF STANDARD SIZES,

As adopted by "The Association of Bolt and Nut Manufacturers of U. S."

| Width. | Thickness. | Hole. | Bolt. | No. of Square. | No. of Hexagon |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 45,000 | |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 22,500 | |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 10,000 | 10,500 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5,106 | 6,666 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 2,727 | 4,528 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1,904 | 2,057 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1,695 | 1,890 |
| 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 1 | 1 | 1,218 | 1,538 |
| $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 1,016 | 1,245 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 885 | 957 |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 638 | 740 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 450 | 555 |
| $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | 368 | 430 |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 260 | 270 |
| $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 243 | 252 |
| 2 | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 2 | 2 | 249 | 257 |
| $2\frac{1}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 163 | 204 |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $2\frac{3}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 143 | 168 |
| $2\frac{3}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{3}{8}$ | $2\frac{3}{8}$ | 109 | 150 |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{5}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 85 | 120 |
| $2\frac{5}{8}$ | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | $2\frac{5}{8}$ | $2\frac{5}{8}$ | 84 | 93 |
| $2\frac{3}{4}$ | $2\frac{7}{8}$ | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 55 | 60 |
| $2\frac{7}{8}$ | 3 | $2\frac{7}{8}$ | $2\frac{7}{8}$ | 51 | 56 |
| 3 | $3\frac{1}{8}$ | 3 | 3 | 39 | 44 |
| $3\frac{1}{8}$ | $3\frac{1}{4}$ | $3\frac{1}{8}$ | $3\frac{1}{8}$ | 32 | 35 |
| $3\frac{1}{4}$ | $3\frac{3}{8}$ | $3\frac{1}{4}$ | $3\frac{1}{4}$ | 28 | 30 |
| $3\frac{3}{8}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $3\frac{3}{8}$ | $3\frac{3}{8}$ | 20 | 22 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $3\frac{5}{8}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | | |
| $3\frac{5}{8}$ | $3\frac{3}{4}$ | $3\frac{5}{8}$ | $3\frac{5}{8}$ | | |
| $3\frac{3}{4}$ | $3\frac{7}{8}$ | $3\frac{3}{4}$ | $3\frac{3}{4}$ | | |
| $3\frac{7}{8}$ | 4 | $3\frac{7}{8}$ | $3\frac{7}{8}$ | | |
| 4 | $4\frac{1}{8}$ | 4 | 4 | | |

Taper and Plug Taps---Standard Number of Threads to the Inch.

| Size Inches | RIGHT HAND. | | | | | | LEFT HAND. | |
|----------------|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|------------|--|
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | | | | 30 | 32 | | | |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | | | 24 | 26 | 28 | | | |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | | | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | 26 | |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | | | |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | | | |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | | | |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | | | |
| 1 | | 12 | 14 | | | | | |
| $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 10 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 16 | | | |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 14 | | |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | | |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | | | | |
| $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 6 | 7 | 8 | | | | | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

APPROXIMATE WEIGHTS OF STRAP AND T HINGES.

Weight per dozen. Furnished by Stanley Works.

HEAVY STRAP HINGES.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|
| Size.... | 4 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | ins. |
| Weight. | 6½ | 10½ | 19½ | 32½ | 55½ | 74½ | 89½ | 108½ | lbs. |

EXTRA HEAVY T HINGES.

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------|-----|------|----|----|-----|-----|------|
| Size..... | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | ins. |
| Weight..... | 20½ | 34 ¾ | 54 | 78 | 89½ | 87½ | lbs. |

STRAP AND T HINGES ARE COUNTERSUNK FOR SCREWS.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Inches..... | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 |
| Light Strap..... | Size Screws | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 13 |
| Heavy Strap..... | " | 9 | 9 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 16 | 16 | |
| Light T..... | " | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | |
| Heavy T..... | " | | | | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 13 |
| Extra Heavy T..... | " | | | 10 | 11 | 13 | 14 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Hinge Hasps..... | " | 6 | 7 | | 9 | 10 | 10 | 12 | | |

WROUGHT BUTTS—Countersunk for Screws.

TABLE BUTTS AND BACK FLAPS.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| Inches..... | ¾ | 1 | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 2½ | 2 |
| Size Screw..... | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 9 | 9 |

NARROW WROUGHT BUTTS.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|---|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Inches.. | 1 | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 2 | 2½ | 2½ | 2½ | 3 | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 5½ | 6 |
| Screws.. | 5 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 |

LIGHT NARROW AND LIGHT LOOSE PIN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|----|----|----|---|----|----|---|
| Inch..... | ¾ | 1 | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 2 | 2½ | 2½ | 3 |
| Screws..... | 2 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 7 |

LOOSE PIN OR BROAD.

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------|------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Size..... | 2x2 to 2½x2 | 2½x2½ to 3x3 | 3x3½ | 3½x3 to 4½x4 | 4½x4½ to 5½ | 5x5 to 6x7 |
| Screws..... | 9 | 10 | 11 | 14 | 13 | 14 |

CAST BUTTS

ARE COUNTERSUNK FOR SCREWS AS FOLLOWS:

NARROW, FAST OR LOOSE JOINT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|---|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Inch..... | 1½ | 1½ | 2 | 2½ | 2½ | 3 | 3½ | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 6 |
| Screws..... | 6 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 12 |

PARLIAMENT.

| | | | | |
|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Inch..... | 2½ to 3½ | 3½ and 4 | 4½ to 7½ | 8 and 8½ |
| Screw..... | 8 | 10 | 11 | 13 |

BROAD, FAST, AND LOOSE JOINT AND LOOSE PIN.

| | | | |
|------------|-------------|--------------|------|
| Inch..... | 2x2 to 2½x3 | 3x2½ to 3½x3 | 3½x4 |
| Screw..... | 8 | 10 | 11 |

| | | | | |
|------------|------|-----|---------------|------------------|
| Inch..... | 3½x5 | 4x3 | 4x3½ to 4½x4½ | 4½x5 and upwards |
| Screw..... | 10 | 10 | 11 | 13 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

WROUGHT BRASS BUTTS.

Width when Open, and Sizes of Screws Required.

WIDTH OF BRASS BUTTS, WHEN OPEN.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Size.....Inches | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ |
| Narrow.....Width | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ |
| Middle..... | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Broad..... | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ |
| Desk..... | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----|
| Size.....Inches | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 | $3\frac{1}{4}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | ... |
| Narrow.....Width | 1 | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 | ... |
| Middle..... | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | ... |
| Broad..... | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | .. |
| Desk..... | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

BRASS BUTTS ARE COUNTERSUNK FOR SCREWS AS FOLLOWS :

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Size.....Inch | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ |
| Narrow....Size of Screw | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Middle..... | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Broad..... | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Desk..... | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----|----------------|----------------|
| Size.....Inch | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 | $3\frac{1}{4}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Narrow....Size of Screw | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Middle..... | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Broad..... | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Desk..... | 6 | 6 | 7 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

EMERY AND CORUNDUM

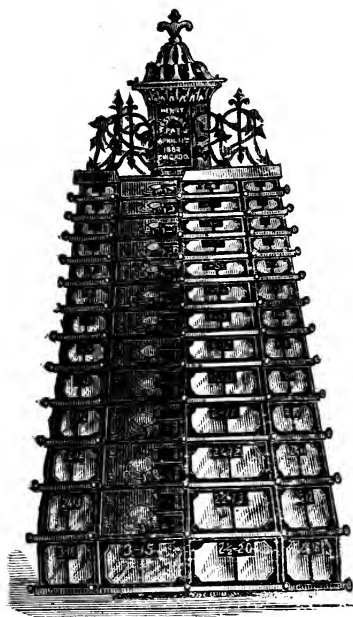
ARE RANKED OR GRADED AS FOLLOWS :

| | | |
|------|--------------|-------------------------|
| Nos. | 8-10..... | Represents a Wood rasp. |
| " | 16-20..... | " Rough file. |
| " | 24-30..... | " Middle cut file. |
| " | 36-40..... | " Bastard cut file. |
| " | 46-60..... | " Second cut file. |
| " | 70-80..... | " Smooth cut file. |
| " | 90-100..... | " Superfine cut file. |
| " | 120-FFF..... | " Dead smooth file. |

Baeder & Adamson's Emery Paper and Cloth

COMPARE WITH GRADE AS FOLLOWS :

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|--------|-------|-----|-----|---------------|----|----------------|----|----------------|----|
| Nos. | 000 | 00 | 0 | 100 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 |
| Emery.... | Crocus | Flour | 120 | 100 | 90 | 80 | 70 | 60 | 54 | 46 |

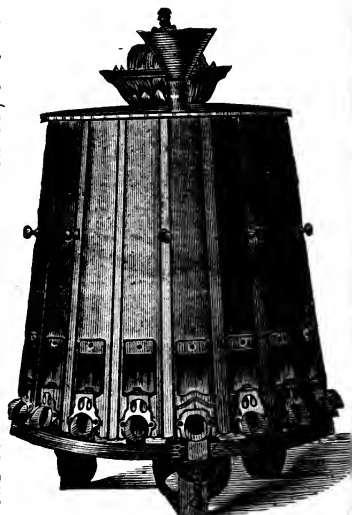


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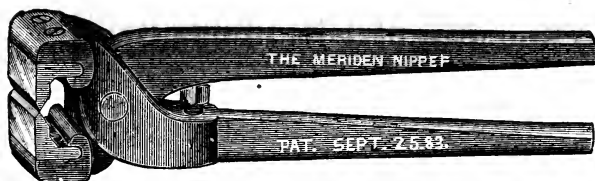
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

DIFFERENT STANDARDS FOR WIRE GAUGE IN USE IN THE UNITED STATES.

Dimensions of Sizes, in Decimal Parts of an Inch.

| Number of Wire Gauge. | American, or Brown & Sharpe. | Birming- ham, or Stubbs's. | Wash'n & Moen Mfg. Co., Worces- ter, Mass. | Trenton Iron Co., Trenton, N. J. | G. W. Pren- tiss, Ho- yoke, Mass. | Old English from Brass Mfrs' List. | Number of Wire Gauge. |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--------------------------|
| 000000 | ..... | .... | .46 | .... | .... | .... | 000000 |
| 00000 | ..... | .... | .43 | .45 | .... | .... | 00000 |
| 0000 | .46 | .454 | .393 | .4 | .... | .... | 0000 |
| 000 | .40964 | .425 | .362 | .36 | .3566 | .... | 000 |
| 00 | .3648 | .38 | .331 | .33 | .3282 | .... | 00 |
| 0 | .32495 | .34 | .307 | .305 | .2994 | .... | 0 |
| 1 | .2893 | .3 | .283 | .285 | .2777 | .... | 1 |
| 2 | .26763 | .284 | .263 | .265 | .2591 | .... | 2 |
| 3 | .22942 | .259 | .244 | .245 | .2401 | .... | 3 |
| 4 | .20431 | .238 | .225 | .225 | .223 | .... | 4 |
| 5 | .18194 | .22 | .207 | .205 | .2047 | .... | 5 |
| 6 | .16202 | .203 | .192 | .19 | .1883 | .... | 6 |
| 7 | .14428 | .18 | .177 | .175 | .1758 | .... | 7 |
| 8 | .12849 | .165 | .162 | .16 | .1605 | .... | 8 |
| 9 | .11443 | .148 | .148 | .145 | .1471 | .... | 9 |
| 10 | .10189 | .134 | .135 | .13 | .1351 | .... | 10 |
| 11 | .090742 | .12 | .12 | .1175 | .1205 | .... | 11 |
| 12 | .080808 | .109 | .105 | .105 | .1065 | .... | 12 |
| 13 | .071961 | .095 | .092 | .0925 | .0928 | .... | 13 |
| 14 | .064084 | .083 | .08 | .08 | .0816 | .083 | 14 |
| 15 | .057068 | .072 | .072 | .07 | .0726 | .072 | 15 |
| 16 | .05082 | .065 | .063 | .061 | .0627 | .065 | 16 |
| 17 | .045257 | .058 | .054 | .0525 | .0546 | .058 | 17 |
| 18 | .040303 | .049 | .047 | .045 | .0478 | .049 | 18 |
| 19 | .03589 | .042 | .041 | .04 | .0411 | .04 | 19 |
| 20 | .031961 | .035 | .035 | .035 | .0351 | .035 | 20 |
| 21 | .028462 | .032 | .032 | .031 | .0321 | .0315 | 21 |
| 22 | .025347 | .028 | .028 | .028 | .029 | .0295 | 22 |
| 23 | .022571 | .025 | .025 | .025 | .0261 | .027 | 23 |
| 24 | .0201 | .022 | .023 | .0225 | .0231 | .025 | 24 |
| 25 | .0179 | .02 | .02 | .02 | .0212 | .023 | 25 |
| 26 | .01694 | .018 | .018 | .018 | .0194 | .0205 | 26 |
| 27 | .014195 | .016 | .017 | .017 | .0182 | .01875 | 27 |
| 28 | .012641 | .014 | .014 | .016 | .017 | .0165 | 28 |
| 29 | .011257 | .013 | .015 | .015 | .0163 | .0155 | 29 |
| 30 | .010025 | .012 | .014 | .014 | .0156 | .01375 | 30 |
| 31 | .008928 | .01 | .0135 | .013 | .0146 | .01225 | 31 |
| 32 | .00795 | .009 | .013 | .012 | .0136 | .01125 | 32 |
| 33 | .00708 | .008 | .011 | .011 | .013 | .01025 | 33 |
| 34 | .006304 | .007 | .01 | .01 | .0118 | .0095 | 34 |
| 35 | .005614 | .005 | .0095 | .0095 | .0109 | .009 | 35 |
| 36 | .005 | .004 | .009 | .009 | .01 | .0075 | 36 |
| 37 | .004453 | .... | .0085 | .0085 | .0095 | .0065 | 37 |
| 38 | .003965 | | .008 | .008 | .009 | .00575 | 38 |
| 39 | .003531 | | .0075 | .0075 | .0083 | .005 | 39 |
| 40 | .003144 | | .007 | .007 | .0078 | .0045 | 40 |



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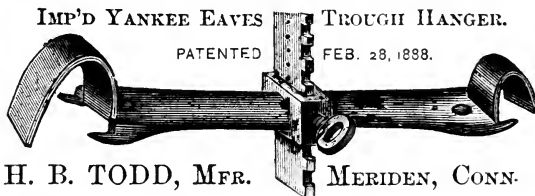
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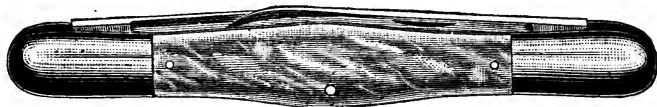
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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Size, Weight, Length and Strength of Iron Wire.

BIRMINGHAM WIRE GAUGE.

| Wire Gauge. | Diameter. | Weight of 100 Yards. | Weight of 1 mile. | Length of 1 Bundle. | Length of 1 Cwt. | DIRECT STRAIN. | |
|-------------|-----------|-------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| | | | | | | Area of Section. | Breaking Weight. |
| No. | Inches. | Lbs. | Lbs. | Yards. | Yards. | Sq. in. | Lbs. |
| 5-0 | 0 546 | 161 60 | 2830 | 39 | 70 | 0 163 | 13070 |
| 4-0 | 0 425 | 140 00 | 2460 | 45 | 80 | 0 142 | 11350 |
| 3-0 | 0 394 | 120 00 | 2113 | 52 | 93 | 0 122 | 9755 |
| 2-0 | 0 363 | 102 00 | 1794 | 62 | 110 | 0 103 | 8280 |
| 0 | 0 331 | 84 72 | 1490 | 74 | 132 | 0 086 | 6880 |
| 1 | 0 300 | 68 75 | 1210 | 91 | 162 | 0 071 | 5650 |
| 2 | 0 280 | 59 90 | 1054 | 105 | 187 | 0 062 | 4930 |
| 3 | 0 260 | 51 65 | 909 | 121 | 215 | 0 053 | 4250 |
| 4 | 0 240 | 44 00 | 775 | 143 | 255 | 0 045 | 3620 |
| 5 | 0 220 | 37 00 | 651 | 170 | 303 | 0 038 | 3040 |
| 6 | 0 200 | 30 56 | 538 | 203 | 361 | 0 031 | 2510 |
| 7 | 0 185 | 26 15 | 461 | 239 | 428 | 0 0265 | 2220 |
| 8 | 0 170 | 22 10 | 389 | 286 | 509 | 0 023 | 1840 |
| 9 | 0 155 | 18 36 | 323 | 342 | 609 | 0 0195 | 1560 |
| 10 | 0 140 | 14 97 | 264 | 420 | 747 | 0 016 | 1280 |
| 11 | 0 125 | 11 95 | 211 | 529 | 909 | 0 0125 | 1000 |
| 12 | 0 110 | 9 24 | 163 | 700 | 1244 | 0 010 | 800 |
| 13 | 0 095 | 7 05 | 124 | 893 | 1589 | 0 0071 | 568 |
| 14 | 0 085 | 5 51 | 97 | 1142 | 2031 | 0 0057 | 456 |
| 15 | 0 075 | 4 29 | 76 | 1468 | 2608 | 0 0044 | 352 |
| 16 | 0 065 | 3 22 | 57 | 1954 | 3473 | 0 0033 | 264 |
| 17 | 0 057 | 2 48 | 44 | 2540 | 4515 | 0 0026 | 208 |
| 18 | 0 050 | 1 91 | 34 | 3150 | 5600 | 0 0020 | 160 |
| 19 | 0 045 | 1 55 | 27 | 4085 | 7246 | 0 0016 | 128 |
| 20 | 0 040 | 1 22 | 21 | 4912 | 9168 | 0 0013 | 104 |
| 21 | 0 035 | 0 94 | 17 | 6416 | 11980 | 0 0010 | 80 |
| 22 | 0 030 | 0 69 | 12 | 8736 | 16300 | 0 0007 | 56 |

Sizes Expressed in Fractions of an Inch.

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 15-32 in.—No. 5-0 full | 5-16 in.—No. 1 full. | 1-8 in.—No. 11 |
| 7-16 in.—No. 4-0 full | 9-32 in.—No. 2 | 1-10 in.—No. 13 full |
| 13-32 in.—No. 3-0 full | 1-4 in.—No. 3½ | 1-12 in.—No. 14 |
| 3-8 in.—No. 2-0 full | 7-32 in.—No. 5 | 1-16 in.—No. 16 |
| 11-32 in.—No. 0 full | 3-16 in.—No. 7 | 1-32 in.—No. 22 |
| | 5-32 in.—No. 9 | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Telegraph and Telephone Wire.

FROM TRENTON IRON COMPANY LIST.

WEIGHT PER MILE-OHM.—This term is to be understood as distinguishing the *resistance of material only*, and means the weight of such material required per mile to give the resistance of one ohm. To ascertain the mileage resistance of any wire, divide the "weight per mile-ohm" by the weight of the wire per mile. Thus in a grade of Extra Best Best, of which the weight per mile-ohm is 5,000, the mileage resistance of No. 6 (weight per mile 525 lbs.) would be about 9½ ohms; and No. 14 steel wire, 6,500 lbs., weight per mile-ohm (95 lbs. weight per mile), would show about 69 ohms.

The grades of **LINE WIRE** are generally known to manufacturers, consumers, and the trade in this country, as "Extra Best Best" (E. B. B.), "Best Best" (B. B.), "Be." (B.), and "Steel."

The "Extra Best Best" is made of the very best iron, as nearly pure as any commercial iron, soft, tough, uniform, and of very high conductivity, its weight per mile-ohm being about 5,000 lbs.

The "Best Best" is of excellent iron, showing in mechanical tests almost as good results as the E. B. B., but not quite as soft, and being somewhat lower in conductivity; weight per mile-ohm about 5,700 lbs.

Some manufacturers have ceased to make the grade known as "Best"—which term has become to some extent a misnomer, as it has been much applied to inferior wire hardly suited for telegraphic purposes, and having a weight per mile-ohm of 6,000 to 7,000 lbs. It is found that wire made from Bessemer or Open-Hearth Steel, low in carbon, gives better satisfaction, being tougher and stronger than iron wire that can be furnished at an equal price per pound, and offering no more resistance to the electric current. This "Steel" wire is well suited for Telephone or short Telegraph Lines, and the weight per mile-ohm is about 6,500 lbs.

The following are (approximately) the weights per mile of various sizes of Galvanized Telegraph Wire, drawn by Trenton Iron Co.'s gauge:

| No. | 4, | 5, | 6, | 7, | 8, | 9, | 10, | 11, | 12, | 13, | 14, |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|
| Lbs. | 720, | 610, | 525, | 450, | 375, | 310, | 250, | 200, | 160, | 125, | 95. |

Telegraph Wire is frequently made by Birmingham wire gauge, but wire of *any desired weight per mile* can be made to order.

Sizes of Wire Used in Telegraph and Telephone Lines.

- No. 4. Has not been much used until recently; is now used on important lines where the multiplex systems are applied.
- No. 5. Little used in the United States.
- No. 6. Used for important circuits between cities.
- No. 8. Medium size for circuits of 40 miles or less.
- No. 9. For similar locations to No. 8, but on somewhat shorter circuits; until lately was the size most largely used in this country.
- No. 10. } For shorter circuits, railway telegraphs, private lines, police and fire alarm
- No. 11. } lines, &c.
- No. 12. For telephone lines, police and fire alarm lines, &c.
- No. 13. } For telephone lines and short private lines; steel wire is used most generally in
- No. 14. } these sizes.

THE COATING OF TELEGRAPH WIRE with zinc as a protection against oxidation is now generally admitted to be the most efficacious method. Some years ago telegraph wire used to be boiled in linseed oil, which process cost less than galvanizing and protected the wire tolerably well, except where it was exposed to the action of sea air. It can still be coated in that manner if required; but a good coat of zinc is the best protection against rust, and wire so coated is moreover a better conductor than plain wire.



JOINTS IN TELEGRAPH WIRE.—Above is an illustration of the ordinary "telegraph joint." The fewer the joints in a line the better; hence the advantage of the present method of making single pieces of wire weighing 90 or 100 lbs. (or even 150 lbs.) instead of (as a few years ago) 30 to 50 lbs. All joints should be carefully made and well soldered over, for a bad joint may cause as much resistance to the electric current as several miles of wire.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Wires of Various Metals Compared.

The following table is given by Mr. David Kirkaldy, of London, to exhibit the tensile strength and resistance to tension of wire made of various materials.

| Specimens Tested. | Pulling Stress per square inch | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| | Hard. Pounds. | Annealed. Pounds. |
| Copper..... | 63.122 | 37.002 |
| Brass..... | 81.156 | 51.550 |
| Charcoal Iron..... | 65.834 | 46.760 |
| Coke Iron..... | 65.321 | 61.294 |
| Steel..... | 120.976 | 74.637 |
| Phosphor Bronze, No. 1..... | 159.515 | 58.853 |
| “ “ No. 2..... | 151.119 | 64.569 |
| “ “ No. 3..... | 120.141 | 54.111 |
| “ “ No. 4..... | 120.901 | 53.371 |

| Specimens Tested | Extension per cent. | | No. twists in 5 inches. |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| | Annealed. | Hard. | Annealed. |
| Copper..... | 34.1 | 86.8 | 96 |
| Brass..... | 23.5 | 14.7 | 57 |
| Charcoal Iron..... | 28. | 48. | 87 |
| Coke Iron..... | 17. | 25. | 44 |
| Steel..... | 10.9 | * | 79 |
| Phosphor Bronze, No. 1..... | 46.6 | 13.3 | 66 |
| “ “ No. 2..... | 42.8 | 15.3 | 60 |
| “ “ No. 3..... | 44.9 | 17.3 | 53 |
| “ “ No. 4..... | 42.4 | 13. | 124 |

Of the eight pieces of steel tested three stood from 4 1/2 to 45 twists, and five stood from 1 1/2 to 4 twists.

Relative Malleability of the Metals.

- | | | | |
|------------|------------|--------------|----------|
| 1. Gold. | 3. Copper. | 5. Platinum. | 7. Zinc. |
| 2. Silver. | 4. Tin. | 6. Lead. | 8. Iron. |

Specific Resistances of Metals.

| | | | | | |
|-------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| Copper..... | 1.09 | Mercury..... | 50.00 | Brass Wire..... | 3.88 |
| Silver..... | .98 | Palladium..... | 5.50 | German Silver Wire. | 11.30 |
| Gold..... | 1.13 | Platinum..... | 6.78 | Nickel Wire..... | 7.70 |
| Iron..... | 5.63 | Tin Wire..... | 6.80 | Calcium Wire..... | 2.61 |
| Lead..... | 10.76 | Zinc Wire..... | 3.70 | Aluminium Wire.... | 1.75 |

List of Conductors and Non-Conductors,

In which each substance named conducts better than that which precedes it; the first being the best insulator, the last the best conductor

- | | | | |
|------------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| 1. Dry Air. | 8. Glass. | 15. Saline Solutions. | 20. Tin. |
| 2. Paraffine. | 9. Silk. | 16. Acids. | 21. Iron. |
| 3. Hard Rubber. | 10. Dry Paper. | 17. Charcoal or Coke. | 22. Platinum. |
| 4. Suellac. | 11. Porcelain. | 18. Mercury. | 23. Zinc. |
| 5. India Rubber. | 12. Dry Wood. | 19. Lead. | 24. Gold. |
| 6. Gutta Percha. | 13. Dry Ice. | | 25. Copper. |
| 7. Sulphur. | 14. Water. | | 26. Silver. |

When a wire of small resistance and an insulator of great resistance are employed upon a line the highest excellence is secured, since the lower the resistance in the former the better is the transmission, and the higher the resistance in the latter the less the waste of the current.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

TABLE

SHOWING THE DIAMETER IN DECIMALS OF AN INCH, AND THE NUMBER OF FEET IN ONE POUND, OF EACH GAUGE IRON WIRE, AS DRAWN BY WASHBURN & MOEN WIRE GAUGE.

| No. | Decimals of inch. | Feet in pound. | No. | Decimals of inch. | Feet in pound. |
|-----|-------------------|----------------|-----|-------------------|----------------|
| 000 | .362 | 2.873 | 15 | .072 | 72.984 |
| 00 | .331 | 3.444 | 16 | .063 | 95.396 |
| 0 | .323 | 3.619 | 17 | .054 | 129.873 |
| 1 | .283 | 4.698 | 18 | .047 | 172.401 |
| 2 | .263 | 5.444 | 19 | .041 | 222.222 |
| 3 | .244 | 6.333 | 20 | .035 | 301.249 |
| 4 | .225 | 7.460 | 21 | .032 | 370.036 |
| 5 | .207 | 8.809 | 22 | .028 | 476.190 |
| 6 | .192 | 10.270 | 23 | .025 | 640.74 |
| 7 | .177 | 12.047 | 24 | .023 | 879.03 |
| 8 | .162 | 14.365 | 25 | .020 | 1189.71 |
| 9 | .148 | 17.238 | 26 | .018 | 1485.62 |
| 10 | .135 | 20.698 | 27 | .017 | 1872.71 |
| 11 | .120 | 26.174 | 28 | .016 | 2361.42 |
| 12 | .105 | 34.254 | 29 | .015 | 2978.91 |
| 13 | .092 | 44.655 | 30 | .014 | 3754.83 |
| 14 | .080 | 59.174 | | | |

TABLE

SHOWING CORRESPONDING SIZES OF STUBS' STEEL WIRE OR RODS, TO THE DIVISIONS OF AN INCH.

| Nos. 2 | 12 | 21 | 28 | 30 | 35 | 42 | 43 | 52 | 56 | 61 |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| $\frac{11}{64}$ | $\frac{12}{64}$ | $\frac{10}{64}$ | $\frac{9}{64}$ | $\frac{8}{64}$ | $\frac{7}{64}$ | $\frac{6}{64}$ | $\frac{5}{64}$ | $\frac{4}{64}$ | $\frac{3}{64}$ | $\frac{2}{64}$ |

MESH OF COAL SCREENS

USED BY THE PRINCIPAL COAL DEALERS.

| | | | |
|-------------------|-------|---------|------------------------|
| 24, 24 and 2 inch | ..... | Screens | Furnace Coal. |
| 18 and 18 | ..... | " | Stove out of Egg Coal. |
| 18 and 18 | ..... | " | Nut out of Stove. |
| 18 and 18 | ..... | " | Stove Coal. |
| 18 and 18 | ..... | " | Nut |
| 18 and 18 | ..... | " | Pea |
| 18 and 18 | ..... | " | Brickmakers' Dust. |

MESH OF FANNING-MILL WIRE CLOTH.

The ordinary widths are 20, 21, 22 and 24 inch, and the Meshes for cleaning Seed are:

| | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| For Wheat..... | 4x4 or 5x5 |
| " Corn and Oats..... | 2x2 |
| " Rye..... | 3x3 |
| " Cockle..... | 8x8 or 9x9 |
| " Peas..... | 2x4 or 2x5 |
| " Clover..... | 13x13 or 14x14 |
| " Clover from Sand..... | 20 or 22 Mesh |
| " Timothy..... | 16x16, 18x18 or 20x20 |
| " Cheat..... | 2x9, 10 or 12, or 3x10, 11 or 12 |
| " Flax..... | 4x13, 4x14 or 4x16 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

TABLE OF WEIGHTS,

Showing Estimated Number of Pounds of Barbed Wire Required
to Fence Space or Distances Mentioned, with,
One, Two or Three Strands.

| | 1 STRAND. | 2 STRANDS. | 3 STRANDS. |
|--------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| 1 Square Acre..... | 57.5 lbs. | 115 lbs. | 172 lbs. |
| 1 Side of a Square Acre. | 15½ " | 28½ " | 42½ " |
| 1 Square Half-Acre.... | 40½ " | 81 " | 121½ " |
| 1 Square Mile..... | 1440 " | 2880 " | 4320 " |
| 1 Side of 1 Square Mile. | 360 " | 720 " | 1080 " |
| 1 Rod in Length..... | 1½ " | 2½ " | 3¾ " |
| 100 Rods in Length..... | 112½ " | 225 " | 337½ " |
| 100 Feet in Length..... | 7 " | 14 " | 21 " |

| | | |
|------------------------------|--|--|
| When Posts are placed apart. | There are required for each strand of wire, for one mile of fence... | Total cost of 1 mile of fence when posts cost 12½c. each, and wire and staples cost 7½c. lb. for galvanized. |
|------------------------------|--|--|

| FEET | POSTS. | LBS. OF STAPLES | LBS. OF WIRE. | 3 STRANDS. | 4 STRANDS. |
|------|--------|-----------------|---------------|------------|------------|
| 8 | 660 | 7½ | 360 | \$167 90 | \$196 35 |
| 10 | 528 | 5¾ | 360 | 149 00 | 180 39 |
| 12 | 440 | 4¾ | 360 | 139 78 | 168 07 |
| 16½ | 320 | 3½ | 360 | 124 45 | 152 68 |
| 20 | 264 | 3 | 360 | 117 40 | 145 53 |
| 25 | 212 | 2½ | 360 | 110 74 | 138 80 |
| 30 | 176 | 2 | 360 | 106 16 | 134 22 |
| 33 | 160 | 1¾ | 360 | 104 09 | 132 15 |

Number of Wires and Distances Between Posts.

Although fences are sometimes made of *two* wires, to fence against cattle only, experts recommend no less than *three*, and as many more as desirable. *Five* wires make a good fence—such is used by nearly all the railroad companies.

The following are the distances apart at which the wires are generally placed:

Two-wire fence, 1st wire 22 inches, 2d wire 44 inches from the ground.

Three-wire fence, 1st wire 16 inches, 2d wire 30 inches, 3d wire 48 inches from the ground.

Four-wire fence, 1st wire 12 inches, 2d wire 24 inches, 3d wire 36 inches, 4th wire 48 inches from the ground.

Five-wire fence, 1st wire 8 inches, 2d wire 15 inches, 3d wire 24 inches, 4th wire 36 inches, 5th wire 48 inches from the ground.

One less strand may be used with *four-point* than two-point wire.

The HEIGHT OF THE LEGAL FENCE varies as follows:

Four feet high in Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Delaware and Idaho.

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EXTRAS ON CUT NAILS.

SCHEDULE OF PRICES,

Adopted June 6th, 1888.

| | per keg |
|--|--------------------------|
| 12d, 16d, 20d, 30d, 40d, BASE SIZES... | \$.10 per keg above Base |
| COMMON NAILS, \$... | 25 " |
| 8d, 9d, 50d, 60d | 40 " |
| 6d and 7d | 60 " |
| 4d and 5d | 1.00 " |
| 3d COMMON and 4d FINE | 1.50 " |
| 3d FINE, 2d COMMON, 1-inch | 2.00 " |
| ROOFING... | 2.50 " |
| 2d FINE... | 1.50 " |
| SPICES, all sizes... | 2.00 " |
| 1 1/2 and 1 3/4-in. BARREL NAILS... | .60 " |
| 1 1/2 and 1 3/4-in. | 1.00 " |
| 1-in. | 1.50 " |
| 7/8-in. | 1.75 " |
| 3/4-in. | 2.25 " |

Fence and Sheathing Nails same price as Common.

| | |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| CASING, FLOORING, BOX, WAREHOUSE, COOPER'S and TOBACCO NAILS | per keg above same size Common Nails |
| SLATING NAILS | 50c. |
| FINISHING and CLINCH NAILS | 25c. |
| FINE FINISHING | 90c. |

Each Half-KeG 10 cents extra.

LENGTH OF NAILS.

| | |
|---|--|
| 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 1.1 1/2, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6. | |
|---|--|

STEEL WIRE NAILS (in Kegs.)

STANDARD PRICE-LIST.

12d to 40d common, base price. For others add to base price as follows:

| | | | |
|---|--------|--|--|
| Common Fence, Shingle, Flooring and Common Brads. | | | |
| 12d to 40d..... | base. | | |
| 50d and 60d..... | \$ 35 | | |
| 10d..... | 15 | | |
| 8d and 9d..... | 35 | | |
| 6d and 7d..... | 70 | | |
| 4d and 5d..... | 1.00 | | |
| 3d..... | 2.00 | | |
| 2d..... | 2.75 | | |
| BARBED Common and BARBED Car Nails. | | | |
| 25c. advance over common. | | | |
| Casing, Smooth Box. | | | |
| 12d to 40d..... | 75 | | |
| 10d..... | 1.00 | | |
| 8d and 9d..... | 1.25 | | |
| 6d and 7d..... | 1.50 | | |
| 4d and 5d..... | 1.75 | | |
| 3d..... | 2.50 | | |
| 2d..... | 3.25 | | |
| Barbed Box 25c. advance | | | |
| Fine Nails. | | | |
| 2d..... | 3.50 | | |
| 3d..... | 3.00 | | |
| 4d..... | 2.00 | | |
| Smooth Finishing Nails. | | | |
| 2d..... | \$3.50 | | |
| 3d..... | 2.70 | | |
| 4d and 5d..... | 2.00 | | |
| 6d and 7d..... | 1.75 | | |
| 8d and 9d..... | 1.50 | | |
| 10d..... | 1.25 | | |
| Barbed Finishing, 25c. advance. | | | |
| 12d to 30d..... | 1.00 | | |
| 10d..... | 1.25 | | |
| 8d and 9d..... | 1.50 | | |
| 6d and 7d..... | 1.75 | | |
| 4d and 5d..... | 2.00 | | |
| 3d..... | 2.50 | | |
| 2d..... | 3.00 | | |
| Lining Nails. | | | |
| 3/4 in..... | 4.50 | | |
| 7/8 in..... | 4.00 | | |
| 1 in..... | 3.50 | | |
| Barrel. | | | |
| 3/4 in..... | 3.50 | | |
| 7/8 in..... | 3.00 | | |
| 1 in..... | 2.50 | | |
| 1 1/8 in..... | 2.00 | | |
| 1 1/2 in..... | 1.75 | | |
| 1 3/4 in..... | 1.25 | | |
| 1 1/2 in..... | 1.00 | | |
| Slating. | | | |
| 2d..... | 2.50 | | |
| 3d..... | 1.75 | | |
| 4d..... | 1.25 | | |
| 5d..... | 1.00 | | |
| Wire Spikes. | | | |
| All Sizes..... | 35 | | |
| Tobacco. | | | |
| 4d and 5d..... | \$1.25 | | |
| 6d and 7d..... | 1.00 | | |
| 8d and 9d..... | .75 | | |
| 10d..... | .50 | | |
| Barbed Roofing. | | | |
| 3/4 in..... | 3.50 | | |
| 7/8 in..... | 3.00 | | |
| 1 in..... | 2.50 | | |
| 1 1/8 in..... | 2.00 | | |
| 1 1/2 in..... | 1.50 | | |
| 1 3/4 in..... | 1.25 | | |
| 2 in..... | 1.00 | | |
| Clinch. | | | |
| 2d..... | 3.50 | | |
| 3d..... | 2.50 | | |
| 4d and 5d..... | 1.75 | | |
| 6d and 7d..... | 1.25 | | |
| 8d and 9d..... | 1.00 | | |
| 10d..... | .90 | | |
| 12d to 20d..... | .75 | | |
| Hinge Nails. | | | |
| 4d..... | 1.75 | | |
| 6d..... | 1.50 | | |
| 8d..... | 1.00 | | |
| 10d to 20d..... | .75 | | |

Adopted at the Cleveland Meeting, June 15, 1888.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

LENGTH AND GAUGES OF STANDARD STEEL WIRE NAILS.

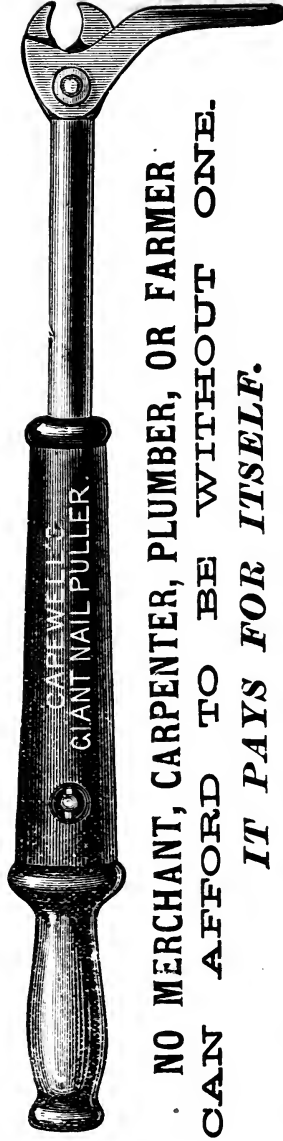
| Sizes. | Length, Inch. | Common. | Barbed Common. | Clinch. | Fence. | Common Brads. | Smooth & Barbed Finishing. | Pine. | Barrel. | Casing. | Smooth Box. | Barbed Box. | Flooring Brads. | Barb. Car | Slating. | Barbed Roofing. | Shingle. | Tobacco. | Lining. | Spikes. |
|--------|------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|--------|------------------|----------------------------------|-------|---------|---------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------|----------|--------------------|----------|----------|---------|---------|
| 2d | 1 1/4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 16 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 | ..... | ..... | 17 | ..... |
| 3d | 1 1/2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 15 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 | ..... | ..... | 17 | ..... |
| 3d | 1 3/4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 15 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 | ..... | ..... | 17 | ..... |
| 4d | 1 1/2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 14 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 11 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 4d | 1 3/4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 5d | 1 1/2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 5d | 1 3/4 | | | | | | | | 13 | | | | | | | 10 | | | | |
| 6d | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| 7d | 2 1/4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8d | 2 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9d | 2 3/4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10d | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12d | 3 1/4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16d | 3 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20d | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30d | 4 1/4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 40d | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 50d | 5 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 50d | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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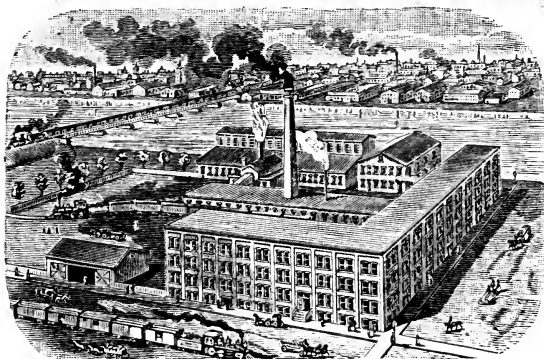
STANDARD STEEL WIRE NAILS.

SIZES, LENGTH AND NUMBER TO THE POUND.

| SIZES. | Length. | Common. | Barbed Common. | Clinch. | Fence. | Finishing | Barbed Finishing | Fine. | Barrel. | Casing. | Smooth Box. | Barbed Box. | Flooring Brads. | Barbed Oval-Head Car Nail. | | Slatting. | Barbed Roofing. | Shingle. | Tobacco. | Lining. | Wire Spikes. | Length. | SIZES. |
|----------|---------|---------|----------------|---------|--------|-----------|------------------|-------|---------|---------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------|-----------|-----------------|----------|----------|---------|--------------|---------|---------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Light. | Heavy. | | | | | | | | |
| 2d..... | 3/4 in | 1200 | 876 | 710 | 1658 | 1558 | 1550 | 1000 | 1500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 714 | ..... | 2100 | ..... | ..... | 3/4 in | 2d |
| 3d Fine | 1/2 " | 1200 | 876 | 710 | 1658 | 1558 | 1550 | 1000 | 1000 | 875 | 1350 | 1143 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 411 | 469 | ..... | 1780 | ..... | ..... | 1/2 " | 3d Fine |
| 3d Com | 1 1/8 " | 720 | 568 | 429 | 980 | 913 | 1140 | 775 | 775 | 560 | 913 | 885 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 829 | 251 | ..... | 1500 | ..... | ..... | 1 1/8 " | 3d Com. |
| 4d..... | 1 1/4 " | 432 | 357 | 274 | 760 | 584 | 760 | 350 | 350 | 584 | 584 | 530 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 209 | 165 | 274 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 1/4 " | 4d |
| 5d..... | 1 1/2 " | 300 | 235 | 235 | 142 | 575 | 410 | ..... | ..... | 410 | 410 | 406 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 142 | 118 | 270 | 235 | ..... | ..... | 1 1/2 " | 5d |
| 6d..... | 2 " | 252 | 204 | 157 | 124 | 350 | 268 | ..... | ..... | 310 | 310 | 299 | 157 | ..... | ..... | 103 | 103 | 204 | 157 | ..... | ..... | 2 " | 6d |
| 7d..... | 2 1/4 " | 186 | 139 | 139 | 92 | 275 | 238 | ..... | ..... | 238 | 238 | 210 | 139 | ..... | ..... | 76 | 69 | 182 | 139 | ..... | ..... | 2 1/4 " | 7d |
| 8d..... | 2 1/2 " | 132 | 99 | 99 | 82 | 190 | 164 | ..... | ..... | 170 | 170 | 170 | 99 | ..... | ..... | 62 | 54 | 125 | 99 | ..... | ..... | 2 1/2 " | 8d |
| 9d..... | 2 3/4 " | 105 | 90 | 90 | 62 | 173 | 149 | ..... | ..... | 150 | 150 | 147 | 90 | ..... | ..... | 50 | 43 | 114 | 90 | ..... | ..... | 2 3/4 " | 9d |
| 10d..... | 3 " | 87 | 69 | 83 | 50 | 137 | 105 | ..... | ..... | 121 | 121 | 121 | 69 | ..... | ..... | 38 | 38 | 83 | 69 | ..... | ..... | 3 " | 10d |
| 11d..... | 3 1/4 " | 66 | 53 | 64 | 38 | 98 | 97 | ..... | ..... | 97 | 97 | 94 | 53 | ..... | ..... | 35 | 35 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 1/4 " | 11d |
| 12d..... | 3 1/2 " | 51 | 43 | 59 | 30 | 81 | 71 | ..... | ..... | 72 | 72 | 72 | 43 | ..... | ..... | 26 | 26 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 1/2 " | 12d |
| 14d..... | 4 " | 35 | 31 | 43 | 23 | 71 | 54 | ..... | ..... | 54 | 54 | 53 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 20 | 20 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 " | 14d |
| 16d..... | 4 1/4 " | 27 | 24 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 46 | 46 | 44 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 15 | 15 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 1/4 " | 16d |
| 20d..... | 5 " | 21 | 18 | | | | | | | 36 | 36 | 36 | | | | 12 | 12 | | | | | 5 " | 20d |
| 30d..... | 5 1/2 " | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 10 | | | | | 5 1/2 " | 30d |
| 40d..... | 6 " | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 7 | | | | | 6 " | 40d |
| 50d..... | 6 1/2 " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 5 | | | | | 6 1/2 " | 50d |
| 60d..... | 7 " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 | | | | | 7 " | 60d |

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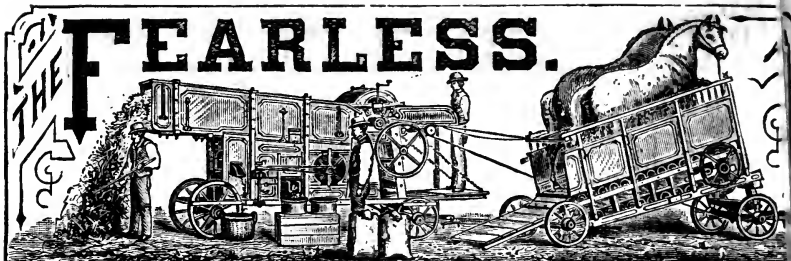
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APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF WIRE NAILS PER POUND.

| WIRE GAUGE. | DIAM. W. & M. | APPROXIMATE SIZE. | $\frac{1}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|-------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------|----------------|----------------|-----|----------------|-----|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | Inches. | Inches. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 00 | .331 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 33 | 27 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 9 |
| 0 | .307 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 34 | 29 | 25 | 21 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| 1 | .283 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 45 | 38 | 32 | 28 | 25 | 23 | 21 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 13 |
| 2 | .263 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 52 | 44 | 37 | 32 | 29 | 26 | 24 | 22 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 |
| 3 | .244 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 60 | 50 | 43 | 38 | 34 | 30 | 28 | 25 | 22 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| 4 | .225 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 72 | 60 | 51 | 45 | 40 | 36 | 33 | 30 | 26 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 16 |
| 5 | .207 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 85 | 71 | 60 | 53 | 47 | 42 | 39 | 35 | 30 | 26 | 24 | 21 | 18 |
| 6 | .192 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 99 | 82 | 71 | 62 | 55 | 50 | 45 | 41 | 35 | 31 | 28 | 25 | 21 |
| 7 | .177 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 111 | 99 | 85 | 75 | 67 | 60 | 54 | 50 | 43 | 37 | 33 | 30 | 25 |
| 8 | .163 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 133 | 120 | 100 | 88 | 78 | 70 | 64 | 59 | 51 | 44 | 39 | 35 | 29 |
| 9 | .148 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 153 | 137 | 115 | 98 | 86 | 76 | 69 | 62 | 53 | 46 | 41 | 36 | 30 |
| 10 | .135 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 184 | 165 | 138 | 118 | 103 | 92 | 82 | 75 | 65 | 56 | 49 | 43 | 35 |
| 11 | .120 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 220 | 198 | 165 | 143 | 124 | 110 | 99 | 90 | 83 | 71 | 62 | 55 | 50 |
| 12 | .105 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 279 | 251 | 209 | 179 | 157 | 139 | 125 | 114 | 105 | 90 | 79 | 70 | 63 |
| 13 | .092 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 329 | 274 | 235 | 206 | 182 | 164 | 149 | 137 | 117 | 103 | 90 | 79 | 70 |
| 14 | .080 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 429 | 357 | 306 | 268 | 238 | 214 | 196 | 178 | 153 | 137 | 117 | 103 | 90 |
| 15 | .073 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 568 | 473 | 406 | 350 | 315 | 284 | 258 | 236 | 206 | 182 | 164 | 149 | 137 |
| 16 | .063 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 701 | 584 | 500 | 438 | 389 | 350 | 315 | 284 | 258 | 236 | 206 | 182 | 164 |
| 17 | .054 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 837 | 698 | 592 | 518 | 459 | 410 | 365 | 329 | 274 | 235 | 206 | 182 | 164 |
| 18 | .047 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,096 | 922 | 787 | 687 | 607 | 540 | 481 | 429 | 357 | 306 | 268 | 238 | 214 |
| 19 | .041 | scant. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,299 | 1,072 | 922 | 807 | 714 | 633 | 566 | 507 | 449 | 389 | 350 | 315 | 284 |
| 20 | .035 | full. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,534 | 1,285 | 1,096 | 959 | 847 | 756 | 675 | 607 | 540 | 481 | 429 | 357 | 306 |
| 21 | | | | | | | | | 1,800 | 1,534 | 1,285 | 1,096 | 959 | 847 | 756 | 675 | 607 | 540 | 481 | 429 | 357 |
| 22 | | | | | | | | | 2,099 | 1,777 | 1,534 | 1,285 | 1,096 | 959 | 847 | 756 | 675 | 607 | 540 | 481 | 429 |

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Table of Iron, Steel, Copper and Brass Wire.

WEIGHT OF 100 FEET IN POUNDS. BIRMINGHAM WIRE GAUGE.

Brass and Copper Wire from 0 to 25 is numbered by Stubs' Gauge. Fine Wire from No. 26 is numbered by London Gauge.

| No. of Gauge. | PER LINEAL FOOT. | | | |
|---------------|------------------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Iron. | Steel. | Copper. | Brass. |
| 0000 | 54 62 | 55 13 | 62 39 | 58 93 |
| 000 | 47 86 | 48 32 | 54 67 | 51 64 |
| 00 | 38 27 | 38 63 | 43 71 | 41 28 |
| 0 | 30 63 | 30 92 | 34 99 | 33 05 |
| 1 | 23 85 | 24 07 | 27 24 | 25 73 |
| 2 | 21 37 | 21 57 | 24 41 | 23 06 |
| 3 | 17 78 | 17 94 | 20 3 | 19 18 |
| 4 | 15 01 | 15 15 | 17 15 | 16 19 |
| 5 | 12 82 | 12 95 | 14 65 | 13 84 |
| 6 | 10 92 | 11 02 | 12 47 | 11 78 |
| 7 | 8 586 | 8 667 | 9 807 | 9 263 |
| 8 | 7 214 | 7 283 | 8 241 | 7 783 |
| 9 | 5 805 | 5 859 | 6 63 | 6 262 |
| 10 | 4 758 | 4 803 | 5 435 | 5 133 |
| 11 | 3 816 | 3 852 | 4 359 | 4 117 |
| 12 | 3 148 | 3 178 | 3 596 | 3 397 |
| 13 | 2 392 | 2 414 | 2 723 | 2 58 |
| 14 | 1 826 | 1 843 | 2 085 | 1 969 |
| 15 | 1 374 | 1 387 | 1 569 | 1 482 |
| 16 | 1 119 | 1 13 | 1 279 | 1 208 |
| 17 | 8915 | 9 | 1 018 | 9618 |
| 18 | 6363 | 6423 | 7168 | 6864 |
| 19 | 4675 | 472 | 534 | 5043 |
| 20 | 3246 | 3277 | 3709 | 3502 |
| 21 | 2714 | 274 | 31 | 2929 |
| 22 | 2079 | 2098 | 2373 | 2241 |
| 23 | 1656 | 1672 | 1892 | 1788 |
| 24 | 1283 | 1295 | 1465 | 1384 |
| 25 | 106 | 107 | 1211 | 1144 |
| 26 | 0859 | 0867 | 0981 | 0926 |
| 27 | 0678 | 0685 | 0775 | 0732 |
| 28 | 0519 | 0524 | 0593 | 056 |
| 29 | 0448 | 0452 | 0511 | 0483 |
| 30 | 0382 | 0385 | 0436 | 0412 |
| 31 | 0265 | 0267 | 0303 | 0286 |
| 32 | 0215 | 0217 | 0245 | 0231 |
| 33 | 017 | 0171 | 0194 | 0183 |
| 34 | 013 | 0131 | 0148 | 014 |
| 35 | 0066 | 0067 | 0076 | 0071 |
| 36 | 0042 | 0042 | 0048 | 0046 |

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TRENTON IRON COMPANY,

(INCORPORATED 1847.)

MANUFACTURERS OF

IRON AND STEEL WIRE

OF ALL KINDS.

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Rolled Rods of Refined Iron and Steel,

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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Wire Standard Hoisting Ropes,

With 6 Strands of 19 Wires Each.

TRADE NUMBERS, SIZES, WEIGHT AND STRENGTH.

IRON.

| Trade No. | Diameter in Inches. | Circumference in Inches. | Estimated Weight per Foot in Lbs. | Breaking Stress in Tons of 2000 Lbs. | Proper Working Load in Tons of 2000 Lbs. | Circumference of Hemp Rope of equal strength. | Minimum diameter of Drum or Sheave, in Ft. |
|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 1 | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 7 | 7.75 | 74 | 15 | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 |
| 2 | 2 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6.11 | 65 | 13 | 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 |
| 3 | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.09 | 54 | 11 | 13 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 4 | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 5 | 4.00 | 44 | 9 | 12 | 5 |
| 5 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 3.55 | 39 | 8 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 2.90 | 33 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 6 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 | 2.42 | 27 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 |
| 7 | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.95 | 20 | 4 | 8 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 8 | 1 | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.53 | 16 | 3 | 7 | 3 |
| 9 | 7 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.16 | 11.50 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 10 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 0.85 | 8.64 | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 5 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 2 | 0.60 | 5.13 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 |
| 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 0.47 | 4.27 | 1 | 4 | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 7 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.37 | 3.48 | 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 10 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 7 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 0.26 | 2.50 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 3 | 1 |

CRUCIBLE STEEL.

| | | | | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|--------|-------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 7 | 7.75 | 164.69 | 32.90 | | 9 |
| 2 | 2 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6.11 | 132.37 | 26.50 | | 8 |
| 3 | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.09 | 108.13 | 21.63 | | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 4 | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 5 | 4.00 | 97.17 | 19.44 | | 6 |
| 5 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 3.55 | 86.38 | 17.30 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 2.90 | 72.33 | 14.46 | 14 | 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| 6 | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 | 2.42 | 50.17 | 10.00 | 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 5 |
| 7 | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.95 | 38.00 | 7.70 | 11 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 8 | 1 | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.53 | 29.20 | 5.80 | 9 | 4 |
| 9 | 7 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.16 | 21.55 | 4.00 | 8 | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 10 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 0.85 | 14.99 | 3.00 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 2 | 0.60 | 12.53 | 2.50 | 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 |
| 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 0.47 | 8.81 | 1.75 | 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 7 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.37 | 7.52 | 1.50 | 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 |

☞ The weights above stated are for Ropes with HEMP CENTERS. For Ropes made with WIRE CENTERS, add TEN PER CENT. to these weights. Also, see Table of GALVANIZED STRAND.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Spring Cotters and Keys and their Applications

SPRING COTTERS.

| No..... | 30 | 31 | 32 | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Wire Gauge... | 13 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| For Hole..... | $\frac{3}{32}$ | $\frac{3}{32}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ |
| For Nuts..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | 1 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ |

SPRING KEYS.

| No..... | 000 | 00 | 0 | 1 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Wire Gauge..... | 12 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| For Hole..... | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{9}{32}$ | $\frac{9}{32}$ | $\frac{9}{32}$ |
| For Bolts..... | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 |

Wire Bale Ties.

Nos. 16, 15, 14, 13 and 12 are put up in bundles of 250 Ties, Nos. 11, 10 and 9 wire are put up in bundles of 125 Ties and run in length from 6 feet to $11\frac{1}{4}$ feet.

Other Sizes and Lengths made to order as required.

To get length of Tie required, add three inches to the measure around the bale when under pressure.

SIZE AND LENGTH OF TIES IN GENERAL USE.

For 17×22 Perpetual Presses, use Ties 8, $8\frac{1}{2}$ or 9 feet long; No. 14 wire for heavy work, and No. 15 for light work.

For 14×18 Perpetual Presses, use Ties 8, $8\frac{1}{2}$ or $9\frac{1}{2}$ feet long; No. 14 wire for extra or extreme heavy work; No. 15 for heavy and medium work, and No. 16 for light work.

For 12×15 Perpetual Presses, use Ties $7\frac{1}{2}$, $7\frac{3}{4}$ or 8 feet long; No. 15 wire for heavy work, and No. 16 for medium or light work.

For Upright Hand Presses, use No. 14 or No. 15 wire.

For Upright Light Horse Presses, use No. 14 wire.

For Upright Heavy Portable or Light Stationary Horse Presses, use No. 13 wire.

For Upright Heavy Stationary and Beater Presses, use No. 12, No. 11 and No. 10 wire, according to the size of bale and number of Ties used.

For Broom Corn, Wool, Cotton, Hides, etc., or other materials put up in heavy bales, use No. 9, No. 10 or No. 11 wire.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

ROUND OR OVAL-HEAD IRON RIVETS.

Number of Rivets in One Pound.

APPROXIMATE.

| Size. | $\frac{3}{16}$ | 0 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 1 | 2 | 3 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 | 5 | 6 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| $\frac{1}{16}$ | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 154 | 188 | 221 | 256 | 334 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 32 | 42 | 51 | 57 | 65 | 75 | 80 | 89 | 108 | 131 | 159 | 185 | 215 | 278 |
| $\frac{3}{16}$ | 29 | 37 | 45 | 50 | 57 | 67 | 70 | 78 | 94 | 114 | 138 | 158 | 185 | 238 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 26 | 33 | 41 | 45 | 51 | 59 | 63 | 70 | 84 | 101 | 122 | 139 | 163 | 208 |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | 24 | 30 | 37 | 41 | 46 | 54 | 57 | 63 | 75 | 91 | 109 | 123 | 145 | 185 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 22 | 28 | 34 | 37 | 42 | 49 | 52 | 57 | 68 | 82 | 98 | 111 | 131 | 166 |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ | 20 | 26 | 31 | 34 | 39 | 45 | 47 | 53 | 63 | 75 | 90 | 101 | 119 | 151 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 | 24 | 29 | 32 | 36 | 42 | 44 | 49 | 58 | 69 | 83 | 93 | 109 | 138 |
| $\frac{9}{16}$ | 18 | 22 | 27 | 29 | 33 | 39 | 41 | 45 | 54 | 54 | 76 | 86 | 101 | 127 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 17 | 21 | 25 | 28 | 31 | 37 | 38 | 42 | 51 | 59 | 71 | 80 | 94 | 119 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 15 | 18 | 22 | 24 | 27 | 33 | 34 | 40 | 44 | 55 | 63 | 70 | 82 | 104 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 13 | 17 | 20 | 22 | 25 | 29 | 30 | 35 | 40 | 47 | 56 | 62 | 73 | 92 |
| $\frac{15}{16}$ | 12 | 15 | 18 | 19 | 22 | 27 | 28 | 32 | 36 | 42 | 50 | 56 | 66 | 83 |
| 1 | 11 | 14 | 17 | 18 | 20 | 24 | 25 | 29 | 33 | 39 | 46 | 50 | 60 | 75 |
| $1\frac{1}{16}$ | 10 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 19 | 22 | 23 | 26 | 30 | 36 | 42 | 46 | 55 | 67 |
| $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 9 | 12 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 21 | 22 | 24 | 28 | 33 | 39 | 43 | 51 | 64 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $8\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 | 13 | 14 | 16 | 19 | 20 | 23 | 26 | 31 | 36 | 40 | 47 | 59 |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 8 | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | 12 | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | 15 | 18 | 19 | 21 | 24 | 29 | 34 | 38 | 44 | 55 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | $9\frac{3}{4}$ | $11\frac{3}{4}$ | $12\frac{3}{4}$ | 14 | 17 | 18 | 20 | 23 | 27 | 32 | 35 | 41 | 52 |
| $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $7\frac{1}{4}$ | $9\frac{1}{4}$ | 11 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 21 | 25 | 30 | 33 | 38 | 49 |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 7 | $8\frac{3}{4}$ | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | $12\frac{3}{4}$ | 15 | 16 | 17 | 20 | 24 | | | | |
| $1\frac{7}{8}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | 10 | $10\frac{3}{4}$ | 12 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 19 | 23 | | | | |
| 2 | $6\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 | $9\frac{1}{4}$ | 10 | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | $13\frac{3}{4}$ | $14\frac{3}{4}$ | $15\frac{3}{4}$ | 18 | 22 | | | | |
| $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 6 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | 9 | $9\frac{3}{4}$ | 11 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 21 | | | | |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ | $5\frac{3}{4}$ | $7\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 | $9\frac{1}{4}$ | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | $12\frac{1}{2}$ | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | $14\frac{1}{2}$ | $16\frac{1}{2}$ | 20 | | | | |
| $2\frac{3}{8}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | 9 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 16 | 19 | | | | |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | $6\frac{3}{4}$ | $7\frac{3}{4}$ | $8\frac{1}{2}$ | $9\frac{1}{2}$ | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | $12\frac{1}{2}$ | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | 15 | 18 | | | | |
| $2\frac{5}{8}$ | 5 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | $9\frac{1}{4}$ | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 17 | | | | |

SHRINKAGE OF CASTINGS.

In making allowance for shrinkage in casting, pattern-makers understand that different shapes will shrink differently. The standard table of allowance for shrinkage in use in the best shops of the country is as follows:

| | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| For Loam Castings..... | $\frac{1}{16}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Green Sand Castings..... | $\frac{1}{10}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Dry Sand Castings..... | $\frac{1}{10}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Brass Castings..... | $\frac{3}{16}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Copper Castings..... | $\frac{3}{16}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Bismuth Castings..... | $\frac{3}{16}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Tin Castings..... | $\frac{1}{4}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Zinc Castings..... | $\frac{5}{16}$ inch per foot. |
| “ Lead Castings..... | $\frac{5}{16}$ inch per foot. |

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IMPORTERS OF

METALS

TIN PLATE.

Roofing Plate,
Special Sizes,
Block and Bar Tin,
Tinnners' Solder.

SHEET IRON.

Russia,
Pat. Planished,
Galvanized,
Double Seaming,
Cold Rolled,
Common.

WIRE.

Bright Iron,
Annealed Fence,
Coppered,
Galvanized,
Tinned.

SOLDER.

Ex. Wiping,
No. 1 Refined,
No. 1 Capping,
Ex. No. 1 "B. & C."
Half and Half.

COPPER.

Sheet, Bottoms,
Solders, Bolts,
Wire, Ingot.

SHEET ZINC.

American,
Spelter.

ELBOWS.

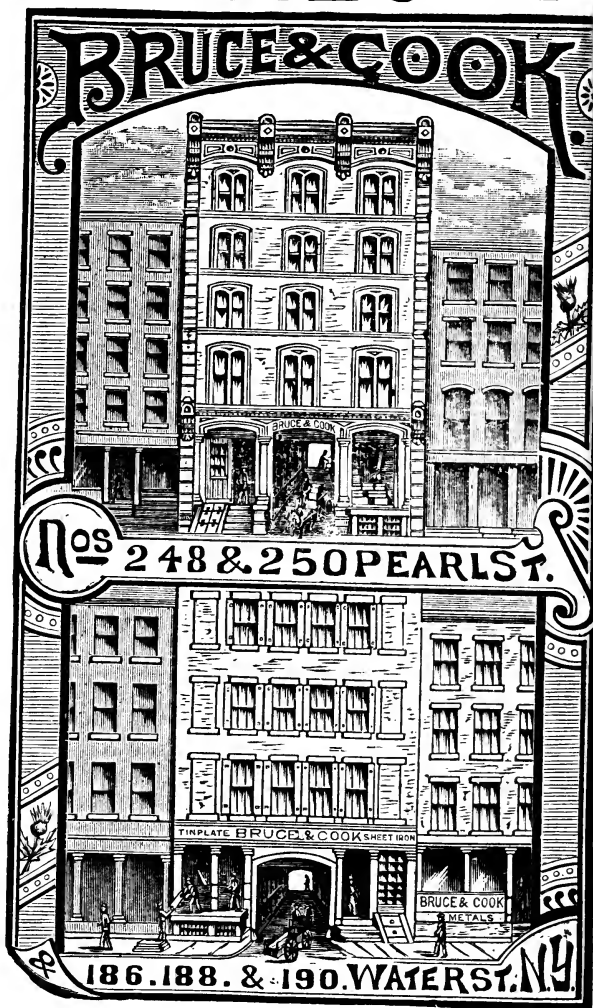
Russia,
Planished,
Charcoal.

STOVE BOARDS.

Stove Bolts,
Stovepipe Collars,
Stovepipe Dampers,
Fire Pots,
Rivets, Black,
Rivets, Tinned,
Kettle Ears.

SUNDRIES.

Babbit Metal,
Antimony,
Spelter Solder.
Tinsmiths' Tools
and Machines,
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Austin's Patent Expanding Conductor and Spiral-Ribbed Pipe.
PATENT ROOFING SEAMER FOR PUTTING TIN TOGETHER.
ALL LATEST AND BEST MACHINES FOR ROOFERS AND TINNERS.
Eight-foot Seamless Eave Troughs and Gutters. I. XL Ventilators.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Table of Standard or Regular Tin Plates.

Size and Kind of Plates—Number and Weight of Sheets in a Box, and Wire Gauge Thickness, of every Kind and Size.

| Size. | Grade. | Sheets in Box. | Pounds in Box. | Wire Gauge. | Size. | Grade. | Sheets in box. | Pounds in box. | Wire Gauge. |
|-----------|---------|----------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|--------|----------------|----------------|-------------|
| 10 by 10 | IC | 225 | 78 | 29 | 13 by 13 | IC | 225 | 130 | 29 |
| " | IX | 225 | 98 | 27 | " | IX | 225 | 164 | 27 |
| " | IXX | 225 | 112 | 26 | " | IXX | 225 | 190 | 26 |
| " | IXXX | 225 | 124 | 25 | " | IXXX | 225 | 216 | 25 |
| " | IXXXX | 225 | 140 | 24½ | 14 by 14 | IC | 225 | 152 | 29 |
| 10 by 14 | IC | 225 | 103 | 29 | " | IX | 225 | 192 | 27 |
| " | IX | 225 | 136 | 27 | " | IXX | 225 | 221 | 26 |
| " | IXX | 225 | 159 | 26 | " | IXXX | 225 | 250 | 25 |
| " | IXXX | 225 | 178 | 25 | " | IXXXX | 225 | 279 | 24½ |
| " | IXXXX | 225 | 200 | 24½ | 15 by 15 | IX | 225 | 221 | 27 |
| 10 by 20 | IC | 225 | 156 | 29 | " | IXX | 225 | 255 | 26 |
| " | IX | 225 | 196 | 27 | " | IXXX | 225 | 288 | 25 |
| 11 by 11 | IC | 225 | 95 | 29 | " | IXXXX | 225 | 322 | 24½ |
| " | IX | 225 | 118 | 27 | 16 by 16 | IC | 225 | 200 | 29 |
| " | IXX | 225 | 135 | 26 | " | IX | 225 | 252 | 27 |
| 11 by 15 | SDC | 200 | 164 | 26 | " | IXX | 225 | 290 | 26 |
| " | SDX | 200 | 185 | 25 | " | IXXX | 225 | 325 | 25 |
| " | SDXX | 200 | 206 | 24½ | " | IXXXX | 225 | 368 | 24½ |
| " | SDXXX | 200 | 226 | 24 | 17 by 17 | IX | 112 | 140 | 27 |
| " | SDXXXX | 200 | 248 | 23 | " | IXX | 112 | 162 | 26 |
| 22 by 15 | SDC | 100 | 164 | 26 | " | IXXX | 112 | 184 | 25 |
| " | SDX | 100 | 185 | 25 | " | IXXXX | 112 | 205 | 24½ |
| " | SDXX | 100 | 206 | 24½ | 18 by 18 | IX | 112 | 158 | 27 |
| " | SDXXX | 100 | 226 | 24 | " | IXX | 112 | 182 | 26 |
| " | SDXXXX | 100 | 248 | 23 | " | IXXX | 112 | 206 | 25 |
| 12½ by 17 | DC | 100 | 96 | 28 | " | IXXXX | 112 | 231 | 24½ |
| " | DX | 100 | 124 | 26 | 22 by 22 | IXX | 56 | 135 | 26 |
| " | DXX | 100 | 145 | 24 | " | IXXX | 56 | ... | 25 |
| " | DXXX | 100 | 166 | 23 | " | IXXXX | 56 | ... | 24½ |
| " | DXXXX | 100 | 185 | 22 | 24 by 24 | IXX | 56 | 157 | 26 |
| 15 by 21 | DX | 100 | 183 | 27 | " | IXXX | 56 | ... | 25 |
| " | DXX | 100 | 214 | 24 | " | IXXXX | 56 | ... | 24½ |
| " | DXXX | 100 | 245 | 23 | TERNE PLATES. | | | | |
| " | DXXXX | 100 | 276 | 22 | 14 by 20 | IC | 112 | 108 | 29 |
| 25 by 17 | DC | 50 | 96 | 28 | " | IX | 112 | 136 | 27 |
| " | DX | 50 | 124 | 26 | 20 by 28 | IC | 112 | 216 | 29 |
| " | DXX | 50 | 145 | 24 | " | IX | 112 | 272 | 27 |
| " | DXXX | 50 | 166 | 23 | 20 by 200 | IC | .... | 172 | 29 |
| " | DXXXX | 50 | 185 | 22 | " | IX | .... | 216 | 27 |
| 14 by 20 | IC | 112 | 108 | 29 | TIN TAGGERS. | | | | |
| " | IX | 112 | 136 | 27 | 10 by 14 | | 450 | 103 | 38 |
| " | IXX | 112 | 157 | 26 | BLACK TAGGERS. | | | | |
| " | IXXX | 112 | 178 | 25 | 10 by 14 | | 256 | 108 | 32 |
| " | IXXXX | 112 | 200 | 24½ | " | | 300 | 108 | 34 |
| " | IXXXXXX | 112 | 240 | 23½ | " | | 360 | 108 | 36 |
| 12 by 13 | IC | 225 | 108 | 29 | " | | 450 | 108 | 38 |
| " | IX | 225 | 136 | 27 | | | | | |
| " | IXX | 225 | 157 | 26 | | | | | |
| " | IXXX | 225 | 178 | 25 | | | | | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

From the "Metal Worker."

Cost of Tin Roofing.

The following table shows the cost per square and per square foot of tin roofing, laid with 14x20 tin, with tin at any price from \$4 to \$10 per box. The first column contains the price per box of tin; the second column shows the cost of tin per square (100 square feet) of surface, and the third column shows the cost of tin per square foot of surface:

FLAT SEAM ROOFING—COST WITH 14x20 TIN.

| Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of flat roof 14x20 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. | Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of flat roof 14x20 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. |
|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| \$4.25..... | \$2.21..... | .0221 | \$8.25..... | \$4.29..... | .0429 |
| 4.50..... | 2.34..... | .0234 | 8.50..... | 4.42..... | .0442 |
| 4.75..... | 2.47..... | .0247 | 8.75..... | 4.55..... | .0455 |
| 5.00..... | 2.60..... | .0260 | 9.00..... | 4.68..... | .0468 |
| 5.25..... | 2.73..... | .0273 | 9.25..... | 4.81..... | .0481 |
| 5.50..... | 2.86..... | .0286 | 9.50..... | 4.94..... | .0494 |
| 5.75..... | 2.99..... | .0299 | 9.75..... | 5.07..... | .0507 |
| 6.00..... | 3.12..... | .0312 | 10.00..... | 5.20..... | .0520 |
| 6.25..... | 3.25..... | .0325 | 10.25..... | 5.33..... | .0533 |
| 6.50..... | 3.38..... | .0338 | 10.50..... | 5.46..... | .0546 |
| 6.75..... | 3.51..... | .0351 | 10.75..... | 5.59..... | .0559 |
| 7.00..... | 3.64..... | .0364 | 11.00..... | 5.72..... | .0572 |
| 7.25..... | 3.77..... | .0377 | 11.25..... | 5.85..... | .0585 |
| 7.50..... | 3.90..... | .0390 | 11.50..... | 5.98..... | .0598 |
| 7.75..... | 4.03..... | .0403 | 11.75..... | 6.11..... | .0611 |
| 8.00..... | 4.16..... | .0416 | 12.00..... | 6.24..... | .0624 |

STANDING SEAM ROOFING—COST WITH 14x20 TIN.

| Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of standing seam roof with 14x20 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. | Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of standing seam roof with 14x20 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| \$4.25..... | \$2.37..... | .0237 | \$7.25..... | \$4.03..... | .0403 |
| 4.50..... | 2.51..... | .0251 | 7.50..... | 4.17..... | .0417 |
| 4.75..... | 2.65..... | .0265 | 7.75..... | 4.31..... | .0431 |
| 5.00..... | 2.79..... | .0279 | 8.00..... | 4.45..... | .0445 |
| 5.25..... | 2.93..... | .0293 | 8.25..... | 4.59..... | .0459 |
| 5.50..... | 3.06..... | .0306 | 8.50..... | 4.73..... | .0473 |
| 5.75..... | 3.20..... | .0320 | 8.75..... | 4.87..... | .0487 |
| 6.00..... | 3.34..... | .0334 | 9.00..... | 5.01..... | .0501 |
| 6.25..... | 3.48..... | .0348 | 9.25..... | 5.15..... | .0515 |
| 6.50..... | 3.62..... | .0362 | 9.50..... | 5.29..... | .0529 |
| 6.75..... | 3.76..... | .0376 | 9.75..... | 5.43..... | .0543 |
| 7.00..... | 3.90..... | .0390 | 10.00..... | 5.57..... | .0557 |

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It is the best
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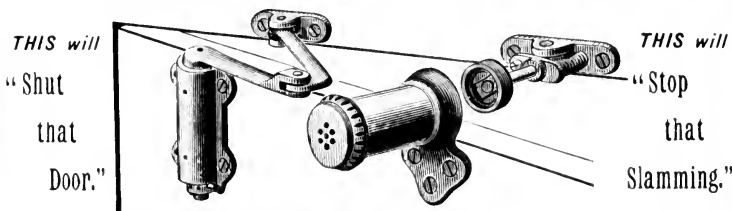
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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Cost of Tin Roofing—Continued.

The following table shows the cost per square and per square foot of tin roofing, laid with 20x28 tin, with tin at any price from \$8 to \$24 per box. The first column contains the price per box of tin; the second column shows the cost of tin per square (100 square feet) of surface, and the third column shows the cost of tin per square foot of surface.

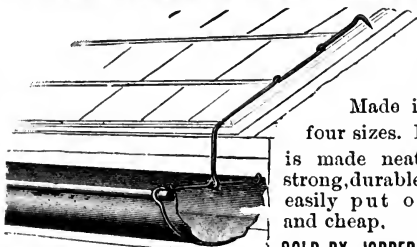
FLAT SEAM ROOFING—COST WITH 20x28 TIN.

| Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of flat seam roof 20x28 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. | Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of flat seam roof 20x28 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| \$8.00..... | \$2.01..... | .0201 | \$16.00..... | \$4.01..... | .0401 |
| 8.50..... | 2.13..... | .0213 | 16.50..... | 4.13..... | .0413 |
| 9.00..... | 2.26..... | .0226 | 17.00..... | 4.26..... | .0426 |
| 9.50..... | 2.38..... | .0238 | 17.50..... | 4.38..... | .0438 |
| 10.00..... | 2.51..... | .0251 | 18.00..... | 4.51..... | .0451 |
| 10.50..... | 2.63..... | .0263 | 18.50..... | 4.63..... | .0463 |
| 11.00..... | 2.76..... | .0276 | 19.00..... | 4.76..... | .0476 |
| 11.50..... | 2.88..... | .0288 | 19.50..... | 4.88..... | .0488 |
| 12.00..... | 3.00..... | .0300 | 20.00..... | 5.01..... | .0501 |
| 12.50..... | 3.13..... | .0313 | 20.50..... | 5.13..... | .0513 |
| 13.00..... | 3.25..... | .0325 | 21.00..... | 5.26..... | .0526 |
| 13.50..... | 3.38..... | .0338 | 21.50..... | 5.38..... | .0538 |
| 14.00..... | 3.50..... | .0350 | 22.00..... | 5.51..... | .0551 |
| 14.50..... | 3.63..... | .0363 | 22.50..... | 5.63..... | .0563 |
| 15.00..... | 3.75..... | .0375 | 23.00..... | 5.76..... | .0576 |
| 15.50..... | 3.88..... | .0388 | | | |

STANDING SEAM ROOFING—COST WITH 20x28 TIN.

| Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of standing seam roof with 20x28 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. | Price of tin per box. | Cost per square of standing seam roof with 20x28 tin. | Cost per sq. foot. |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| \$8.00..... | \$2.15..... | .0215 | \$16.50..... | \$4.42..... | .0442 |
| 8.50..... | 2.28..... | .0228 | 17.00..... | 4.56..... | .0456 |
| 9.00..... | 2.41..... | .0241 | 17.50..... | 4.69..... | .0469 |
| 9.50..... | 2.55..... | .0255 | 18.00..... | 4.82..... | .0482 |
| 10.00..... | 2.68..... | .0268 | 18.50..... | 4.96..... | .0496 |
| 10.50..... | 2.82..... | .0282 | 19.00..... | 5.09..... | .0509 |
| 11.00..... | 2.95..... | .0295 | 19.50..... | 5.23..... | .0523 |
| 11.50..... | 3.09..... | .0309 | 20.00..... | 5.36..... | .0536 |
| 12.00..... | 3.21..... | .0321 | 20.50..... | 5.49..... | .0549 |
| 12.50..... | 3.35..... | .0335 | 21.00..... | 5.63..... | .0563 |
| 13.00..... | 3.48..... | .0348 | 21.50..... | 5.76..... | .0576 |
| 13.50..... | 3.62..... | .0362 | 22.00..... | 5.90..... | .0590 |
| 14.00..... | 3.75..... | .0375 | 22.50..... | 6.03..... | .0603 |
| 14.50..... | 3.89..... | .0389 | 23.00..... | 6.17..... | .0617 |
| 15.00..... | 4.02..... | .0402 | 23.50..... | 6.30..... | .0630 |
| 15.50..... | 4.15..... | .0415 | 24.00..... | 6.43..... | .0643 |
| 16.00..... | 4.29..... | .0429 | | | |

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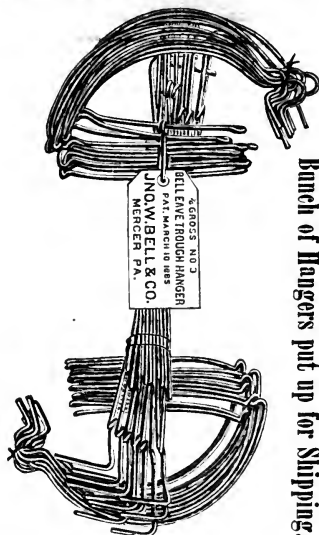
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|---|--------|
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| No. 3—For 5¼-in. trough (made from 9¼ in. of tin)..... | 3.50 |
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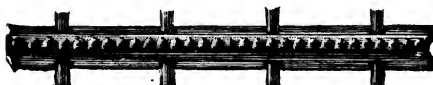


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Lead..... 60 "

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Tin..... 45 parts.

Lead..... 55 "

Solder for pewter:

Tin..... 100 parts.

Lead..... 200 "

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Lead..... 200 parts.

Zinc..... 100 "

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Solder for iron:

Copper..... 67

Zinc..... 33

Solder for pure copper or ordinary brass:

Copper..... 3

Zinc..... 1

Solder for hard brass:

Scraps of metal to be soldered..... 4

Zinc..... 1

Hard solder for small and thin pieces:

Copper..... 86.5

Zinc..... 4.5

Solder for uniting brass tube seams:

Copper... 70) Brass..... 77.5

Tin..... 30) Zinc..... 22.5

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Table of Weights of Sheet Copper per Square Foot, and Thickness per English Wire Gauge.

| English Wire Gauge. | Weight per sq. foot. | Weight of Each Sheet. | | | | |
|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | | 14x18 | 24x48 | 30x60 | 36x72 | 48x72 |
| No. | lbs. oz. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. |
| 1 | 14 8 | 116 | 181 | 261 | 348 | |
| 2 | 13 14 | 111 | 174 | 250 | 334 | |
| 3 | 12 12 | 102 | 159 | 230 | 306 | |
| 4 | 11 9 | 93 | 145 | 209 | 278 | |
| 5 | 10 1 | 81 | 126 | 182 | 242 | |
| 6 | 9 6 | 75 | 118 | 169 | 226 | |
| 7 | 8 11 | 70 | 109 | 157 | 209 | |
| 8 | 7 14 | 63 | 99 | 142 | 190 | |
| 9 | 7 3 | 58 | 90 | 130 | 173 | |
| 10 | 6 8 | 48 | 81 | 117 | 156 | |
| 11 | 5 12 | 46 | 73 | 104 | 139 | |
| 12 | 5 1 | 41 | 64 | 91 | 122 | |
| 13 | 4 5 | 35 | 54 | 78 | 104 | |
| 14 | 3 9 | 29 | 45 | 65 | 86 | |
| 15 | 3 4 | 26 | 41 | 59 | 78 | |
| 16 | 2 14 | 23 | 36 | 52 | 70 | |
| 17 | 2 8 | 20 | 22 | 45 | 60 | |
| 18 | 2 2 | 18 | 27 | 39 | 52 | |
| 19 | 1 15 | 16 | 24 | 35 | 47 | |
| 20 | 1 12 | 14 | 22 | 32 | 43 | |
| 21 | 1 9 | 13 | 20 | 29 | 39 | |
| 22 | 22 | 6 ¹ / ₂ | 12 | 18 | 26 | 35 |
| 23 | 20 | 5 ¹ / ₂ | 10 | 16 | 23 | 31 |
| 24 | 18 | 5 ¹ / ₂ | 9 | 15 | 21 | 28 |
| 25 | 16 | 4 ¹ / ₂ | 8 | 12 ¹ / ₂ | 19 | 25 |
| 26 | 14 | 4 | 7 | 11 | 15 | 21 |
| 27 | 12 | 3 ¹ / ₂ | 6 | 9 ³ / ₅ | 13 | 18 |
| 28 | 10 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 11 | 15 |

WEIGHT OF SHEET COPPER PER SQUARE FOOT.

| | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1/16 inch Thick Weighs | 3 lbs to the square foot. |
| 1/8 " " " | 6 " " " |
| 3/16 " " " | 12 " " " |
| 1/4 " " " | 24 " " " |

| Planished Copper—Boiler Size. | | | | Gutter Copper—20x72 Inches. | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|
| Wire Gauge. | Size of Sheet. | Weight of Sheets | | Thick-ness Wire Gauge. | Thickness of 30x60 sheet. | | Sheet of same thickness 20x72. |
| | | Pounds. | Ounces. | | | | |
| 6 | 14x49 | 3 | 14 | | | | |
| 7 | 14x52 | 4 | | | | | |
| 8 | 14x57 | 5 | 2 | No. | Lbs. | Size. | Lbs. Ozs. |
| 9 | 14x60 | 5 | 9 | 27 | 10 | 30x60 | 9 2 |
| 14 | 14x48 | 4 | | 24 | 12 | 30x60 | 10 8 |
| 16 | 14x48 | 4 | 4 | 23 | 14 | 30x60 | 13 2 |

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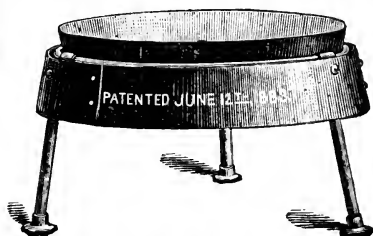
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SPUN BRASS KETTLES,

WEIGHT AND CAPACITY OF.

| | | | | | |
|-----------|------------------------|------------------------|------------|--------------------------|--------|
| 7 in..... | 1 lb..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ gal | 18 in..... | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb..... | 10 gal |
| 8 "..... | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 1 "..... | 19 "..... | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 12 " |
| 9 "..... | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 20 "..... | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 14 " |
| 10 "..... | 3 "..... | 2 "..... | 21 "..... | 18 "..... | 17 " |
| 11 "..... | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 22 "..... | 20 "..... | 18 " |
| 12 "..... | 4 "..... | 3 "..... | 23 "..... | 23 "..... | 23 " |
| 13 "..... | 5 "..... | 4 "..... | 24 "..... | 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 25 " |
| 14 "..... | 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ "..... | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 25 "..... | 29 "..... | 30 " |
| 15 "..... | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 5 "..... | 26 "..... | 32 "..... | 32 " |
| 16 "..... | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 6 "..... | 27 "..... | 37 "..... | 37 " |
| 17 "..... | 9 "..... | 8 "..... | 28 "..... | 40 "..... | 42 " |

Number of Copper Belt Rivets and Burs in one Pound.

| Inch.... | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{9}{16}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | Burs |
|----------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|
| No. 7... | 272 | 250 | 228 | 180 | 164 | 160 | 148 | 112 | 116 | 100 | 84 | 80 | 69 | 345 |
| " 8... | 276 | 248 | 208 | 200 | 178 | 172 | 152 | 136 | 110 | 104 | 96 | | | 390 |
| " 9... | 340 | 280 | 272 | 248 | 228 | 220 | 184 | 176 | 156 | 136 | | | | 610 |
| " 10... | 544 | 448 | 384 | 340 | 304 | 300 | 272 | 238 | 204 | | | | | 716 |
| " 12... | 588 | 512 | 452 | 404 | 354 | 334 | 304 | 272 | | | | | | 985 |
| " 13... | 996 | 852 | 532 | | | | | | | | | | | 1630 |

Copper Hose Rivets and Burs.

| Size | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{9}{16}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | Burs. |
|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------|
| No. 7.... | | | 155 | 142 | 133 | 122 | 109 | 97 | 845 |
| " 8.... | 308 | 201 | 181 | 160 | 150 | 135 | 116 | 100 | 390 |

Copper Oval Head (or Trunk) Rivets and Burs.

| | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{9}{16}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | Burs |
|-------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----|-----------------|-----------------|------|
| No. 9 | 320 | 285 | 259 | 243 | 219 | 199 | 177 | 159 | 137 | 123 | 113 | 104 | 610 |

Number of Copper Braziers' Rivets in one Pound.

| Nos | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|-----------|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|----|
| | 148 | 100 | 70 | 44 | 34 | 24 | 18 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 4 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Bar and Sheet Brass.

WEIGHT IN POUNDS.

| Thickness, or Diameter, or Size; Inches. | Sheets per Square Foot. | Square Bars 1 Foot Long. | Round Bars 1 Foot Long. | Thickness, or Diameter, or Size; Inches. | Sheets per Square Foot. | Square Bars 1 Foot Long. | Round Bars 1 Foot Long. |
|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1-16 | 2.7 | .015 | .011 | 1 1-16 | 45.95 | 4.07 | 3.20 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 5.41 | .055 | .045 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 49.69 | 4.55 | 3.57 |
| 3-16 | 8.12 | .125 | .1 | 3-16 | 51.4 | 5.08 | 3.97 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 10.76 | .225 | .175 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 54.18 | 5.65 | 4.41 |
| 5-16 | 13.47 | .350 | .275 | 5-16 | 56.85 | 6.22 | 4.86 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 16.25 | .51 | .395 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 59.55 | 6.81 | 5.35 |
| 7-16 | 19. | .69 | .54 | 7-16 | 62.25 | 7.45 | 5.85 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 21.65 | .905 | .71 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 65. | 8.13 | 6.37 |
| 9-16 | 24.3 | 1.15 | .9 | 9-16 | 57.75 | 8.83 | 6.92 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 27.12 | 1.4 | 1.1 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 70.35 | 9.55 | 7.44 |
| 11-16 | 29.77 | 1.72 | 1.35 | 11-16 | 73. | 10.27 | 8.05 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 32.46 | 2.05 | 1.60 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 75.86 | 11. | 8.65 |
| 13-16 | 35.18 | 2.4 | 1.85 | 13-16 | 78.52 | 11.82 | 9.29 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 37.85 | 2.75 | 2.15 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 71.25 | 12.68 | 9.95 |
| 15-16 | 40.55 | 3.15 | 2.43 | 15-16 | 84. | 13.5 | 10.53 |
| 1 | 43.29 | 3.65 | 2.85 | 2 | 86.75 | 14.35 | 11.25 |

Bar and Sheet Copper.

Weight in Pounds.

| Thickness, or Diameter, or Size; Inches. | Sheets per Square Foot. | Square Bars 1 Foot Long. | Round Bars 1 Foot Long. | Thickness, or Diameter, or Size; Inches. | Sheets per Square Foot. | Square Bars 1 Foot Long. | Round Bars 1 Foot Long. |
|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1-16 | 2.83 | .015 | .011 | 1 1-16 | 49. | 4.35 | 3.41 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 5.75 | .06 | .056 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 52. | 4.86 | 3.85 |
| 3-16 | 8.65 | .134 | .105 | 3-16 | 54.9 | 5.40 | 4.29 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 11.43 | .235 | .187 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 57.65 | 6. | 4.73 |
| 5-16 | 14.36 | .375 | .295 | 5-16 | 60.5 | 6.60 | 5.20 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 17.23 | .54 | .424 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 53.45 | 7.27 | 5.70 |
| 7-16 | 20.19 | .735 | .575 | 7-16 | 65.35 | 7.90 | 6.28 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 23.1 | .960 | .75 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 69.3 | 8.64 | 6.80 |
| 9-16 | 26. | 1.21 | .95 | 9-16 | 72.15 | 9.28 | 7.30 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 28.85 | 1.51 | 1.17 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 75.1 | 10.15 | 8. |
| 11-16 | 31.68 | 1.81 | 1.42 | 11-16 | 77.95 | 10.95 | 8.6 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 34.57 | 2.15 | 1.7 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 80.75 | 11.70 | 9.24 |
| 13-16 | 36.46 | 2.54 | 2. | 13-16 | 83.60 | 12.60 | 9.85 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 40.39 | 2.95 | 2.3 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 86.58 | 13.46 | 10.56 |
| 15-16 | 43.27 | 3.37 | 2.64 | 15-16 | 89.45 | 14.35 | 11.25 |
| 1 | 46.15 | 3.84 | 3.01 | 2 | 92.25 | 15.35 | 12. |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight of Iron, Steel, Copper and Brass Plates.

DIAMETER AND THICKNESS DETERMINED BY AMERICAN GAUGE.

| No. of Gauge. | Size of each No. | WEIGHT OF PLATES PER SQUARE FOOT. | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|
| | | Wrought Iron. | Steel. | Copper. | Brass. |
| | Inch. | Lbs. | Lbs. | Lbs. | Lbs. |
| 0001 | .46000 | 17.25 | 17.48 | 20.833 | 19.633 |
| 000 | .40964 | 15.3615 | 15.5643 | 18.557 | 17.533 |
| 00 | .36480 | 13.63 | 13.8624 | 16.525 | 15.613 |
| 0 | .32486 | 12.1823 | 12.3447 | 14.716 | 13.904 |
| 1 | .28930 | 10.8488 | 10.9934 | 13.105 | 12.382 |
| 2 | .25763 | 9.6611 | 9.7899 | 11.671 | 11.027 |
| 3 | .22942 | 8.6033 | 8.7180 | 10.393 | 9.8192 |
| 4 | .20431 | 7.6616 | 7.7638 | 9.2552 | 8.7445 |
| 5 | .18194 | 6.8228 | 6.9137 | 8.2419 | 7.787 |
| 6 | .16202 | 6.0758 | 6.1568 | 7.3385 | 6.9345 |
| 7 | .14428 | 5.4105 | 5.4826 | 6.5359 | 6.1752 |
| 8 | .12843 | 4.8184 | 4.8826 | 5.8206 | 5.4994 |
| 9 | .11443 | 4.2911 | 4.3483 | 5.1837 | 4.8976 |
| 10 | .10 89 | 3.8209 | 3.8718 | 4.6155 | 4.3609 |
| 11 | .090742 | 3.4028 | 3.4482 | 4.1106 | 3.8838 |
| 12 | .080508 | 3.0303 | 3.0707 | 3.6806 | 3.4586 |
| 13 | .071961 | 2.6985 | 2.7345 | 3.2593 | 3.0799 |
| 14 | .064084 | 2.4032 | 2.4352 | 2.9030 | 2.7423 |
| 15 | .057068 | 2.1401 | 2.1686 | 2.5852 | 2.4425 |
| 16 | .050820 | 1.9058 | 1.9312 | 2.3021 | 2.1751 |
| 17 | .045257 | 1.6971 | 1.7198 | 2.0501 | 1.937 |
| 18 | .040303 | 1.5114 | 1.5315 | 1.8257 | 1.725 |
| 19 | .035890 | 1.3459 | 1.3638 | 1.6258 | 1.5361 |
| 20 | .031961 | 1.1985 | 1.2145 | 1.4478 | 1.3679 |
| 21 | .028462 | 1.0673 | 1.0816 | 1.2893 | 1.2182 |
| 22 | .025347 | .95951 | .96319 | 1.1482 | 1.0849 |
| 23 | .022571 | .84641 | .8577 | 1.0225 | .96604 |
| 24 | .020100 | .75375 | .7638 | .91053 | .86028 |
| 25 | .017903 | .67125 | .6802 | .81087 | .76612 |
| 26 | .01594 | .59775 | .60572 | .72208 | .68223 |
| 27 | .014195 | .53231 | .53941 | .64303 | .60755 |
| 28 | .012641 | .47404 | .48036 | .57264 | .54103 |
| 29 | .011257 | .42214 | .42777 | .50994 | .48180 |
| 30 | .010025 | .37594 | .38095 | .45413 | .42907 |
| 31 | .008928 | .3348 | .33926 | .40444 | .38212 |
| 32 | .007950 | .29813 | .3021 | .36014 | .34026 |
| 33 | .007080 | .2655 | .26904 | .32072 | .30302 |
| 34 | .006304 | .2364 | .23955 | .28557 | .26981 |
| 35 | .005614 | .21053 | .21333 | .25431 | .24025 |
| 36 | .005000 | .1875 | .19 | .2265 | .2140 |
| 37 | .004453 | .16899 | .16921 | .20172 | .19059 |
| 38 | .003965 | .14869 | .15067 | .17961 | .1697 |
| 39 | .003531 | .13241 | .13413 | .15995 | .15113 |
| 40 | .003144 | .1179 | .11947 | .14242 | .13456 |
| Specific Grav..... | | 7.200 | 7.296 | 8.693 | 8.213 |
| Weight per Cubic Foot..... | | 450. | 456. | 543.6 | 513.6 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Seamless Brass and Copper Tubing.

| List of Regular Sizes. | | | Weight per ft. | | List of Regular Sizes. | | | Weight per ft. | |
|------------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|---------|------------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|---------|
| Outside Diam. | Length. | Stubs' Wire Gauge. | Brass. | Copper. | Outside Diam. | Length. | Stubs' Wire Gauge. | Brass. | Copper. |
| 1/8 | 12 ft. | 19 | .18 | .19 | 2 1/2 | 12 ft. | 12 | 2.53 | 2.66 |
| 1/4 | " | 18 | .27 | .29 | 2 1/4 | " | 12 | 2.68 | 2.82 |
| 3/8 | " | 18 | .33 | .35 | 2 1/8 | " | 12 | 2.84 | 2.99 |
| 1/2 | " | 17 | .46 | .49 | 2 1/4 | " | 10 | 3.74 | 3.94 |
| 5/8 | " | 17 | .49 | .53 | 2 1/8 | " | 10 | 3.99 | 4.15 |
| 3/4 | " | 17 | .53 | .58 | 2 1/4 | " | 10 | 4.14 | 4.36 |
| 7/8 | " | 16 | .63 | .67 | 3 | " | 10 | 4.54 | 4.78 |
| 1 | " | 16 | .67 | .71 | 3 1/8 | " | 10 | 4.94 | 5.20 |
| 1 1/8 | " | 16 | .76 | .80 | 3 1/4 | " | 10 | 5.35 | 5.63 |
| 1 1/4 | " | 15 | .97 | 1.02 | 4 | " | 10 | 6.14 | 6.46 |
| 1 1/2 | " | 14 | 1.22 | 1.29 | 4 1/8 | " | 10 | 6.33 | 6.66 |
| 1 3/4 | " | 14 | 1.36 | 1.44 | 4 1/4 | " | 10 | 6.52 | 6.86 |
| 2 | " | 13 | 1.65 | 1.74 | 4 1/2 | " | 10 | 6.73 | 7.07 |
| 2 1/8 | " | 13 | 1.79 | 1.88 | 4 3/4 | " | 10 | 6.92 | 7.28 |
| 2 1/4 | " | 13 | 1.83 | 1.92 | 4 7/8 | " | 10 | 7.30 | 7.68 |
| 2 1/2 | " | 12 | 2.19 | 2.31 | 5 | " | 10 | 7.67 | 8.08 |
| 2 3/4 | " | 12 | 2.28 | 2.40 | 5 1/8 | " | 10 | 8.43 | 8.94 |
| 3 | " | 12 | 2.35 | 2.47 | 6 | " | 10 | 9.31 | 9.79 |

Weight of Brass, Copper and Zinc Tubing, per Foot.

NUMBERED BY BROWN & SHARPE'S GAUGE.

Weight in Thousandths of Pounds.

| BRASS. No. 17. | | BRASS. No. 20. | | COPPER. Lightning-Rod Tube. No. 23. | |
|-------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|---|---------|
| Inch. | Pounds. | Inch. | Pounds. | Inch. | Pounds. |
| 1/8 | .107 | 1/8 | .033 | 1/8 | .162 |
| 1/4 | .157 | 1/4 | .039 | 1/4 | .176 |
| 3/8 | .185 | 3/8 | .063 | 3/8 | .186 |
| 1/2 | .234 | 1/2 | .106 | 1/2 | .211 |
| 5/8 | .266 | 5/8 | .116 | 5/8 | .229 |
| 3/4 | .318 | 3/4 | .153 | ZINC. No. 20. | |
| 7/8 | .333 | 7/8 | .189 | | |
| 1 | .377 | 1 | .208 | | |
| 1 1/8 | .462 | 1 1/8 | .220 | | |
| 1 1/4 | .542 | 1 1/4 | .252 | 1 1/8 | .161 |
| 1 1/2 | .675 | 1 1/2 | .284 | 1 1/4 | .185 |
| 1 3/4 | .740 | 1 3/4 | .378 | 1 1/2 | .234 |
| 2 | .915 | 2 | .500 | 1 3/4 | .272 |
| 2 1/8 | .980 | 2 1/8 | .550 | 2 | .311 |
| 2 1/4 | 1.506 | | | 2 1/8 | .380 |
| 2 1/2 | 1.90 | | | 2 1/4 | .422 |
| 3 | 2.188 | | | | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

SEAMLESS COPPER TUBING.

Weight per Foot, in Pounds.

| O. D. | STUBS' WIRE GAUGE. | | | | | | O. D. | STUBS' WIRE GAUGE. | | | | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Inches. | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | Inches. | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| $\frac{1}{32}$ | .57 | .50 | .46 | .41 | .37 | .33 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 4.35 | 3.81 | 3.30 | 2.90 | 2.51 | 2.23 |
| $\frac{1}{16}$ | .76 | .66 | .60 | .52 | .47 | .42 | $\frac{7}{16}$ | 4.54 | 3.97 | 3.44 | 3.02 | 2.61 | 2.32 |
| $\frac{3}{32}$ | .94 | .82 | .74 | .64 | .58 | .52 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4.73 | 4.13 | 3.58 | 3.14 | 2.72 | 2.42 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 1.13 | 1.00 | .88 | .76 | .69 | .62 | $\frac{9}{16}$ | 4.92 | 4.29 | 3.72 | 3.26 | 2.82 | 2.51 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.32 | 1.16 | 1.02 | .89 | .80 | .71 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 5.12 | 4.47 | 3.87 | 3.38 | 2.93 | 2.61 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1.51 | 1.32 | 1.17 | 1.01 | .91 | .80 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 5.31 | 4.64 | 4.01 | 3.50 | 3.04 | 2.70 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.71 | 1.49 | 1.31 | 1.14 | 1.02 | .90 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 5.50 | 4.82 | 4.15 | 3.62 | 3.14 | 2.80 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 1.90 | 1.65 | 1.46 | 1.29 | 1.12 | 1.00 | $\frac{15}{16}$ | 5.69 | 4.99 | 4.29 | 3.74 | 3.24 | 2.89 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 2.08 | 1.82 | 1.60 | 1.44 | 1.23 | 1.09 | 1 | 5.88 | 5.15 | 4.44 | 3.86 | | |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 2.26 | 1.98 | 1.74 | 1.58 | 1.34 | 1.18 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 6.06 | 5.31 | 4.58 | 3.98 | | |
| $\frac{15}{16}$ | 2.46 | 2.15 | 1.88 | 1.70 | 1.45 | 1.28 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 6.24 | 5.48 | 4.72 | 4.10 | | |
| 1 | 2.65 | 2.31 | 2.02 | 1.82 | 1.55 | 1.37 | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 6.43 | 5.64 | 4.86 | 4.22 | | |
| $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 2.84 | 2.47 | 2.16 | 1.94 | 1.66 | 1.47 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 6.62 | 5.80 | 5.00 | 4.34 | | |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 3.02 | 2.66 | 2.30 | 2.06 | 1.76 | 1.56 | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 6.80 | 5.96 | 5.15 | 4.46 | | |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 3.21 | 2.82 | 2.45 | 2.18 | 1.86 | 1.66 | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 6.99 | 6.13 | 5.29 | 4.58 | | |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 3.40 | 2.99 | 2.59 | 2.30 | 1.97 | 1.75 | 2 | 7.15 | 6.46 | 5.57 | 4.82 | | |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 3.59 | 3.15 | 2.73 | 2.42 | 2.07 | 1.85 | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 7.74 | 6.79 | | | | |
| $1\frac{7}{8}$ | 3.78 | 3.32 | 2.87 | 2.54 | 2.18 | 1.94 | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 8.13 | 7.12 | | | | |
| 2 | 3.97 | 3.48 | 3.01 | 2.66 | 2.29 | 2.04 | $2\frac{3}{8}$ | 8.52 | 7.45 | | | | |
| $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 4.16 | 3.65 | 3.16 | 2.78 | 2.40 | 2.13 | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 8.90 | 7.78 | | | | |

To ascertain weight of Seamless Brass Tubing, multiply by .95.

IRON PIPE SIZES.

| | | | Weight per ft. | | | | | Weight per ft. | |
|---------------|--------------------|---------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|---------|----------------|-------------|
| Outside Diam. | Same as Iron Size. | Length. | Brass Lbs. | Copper Lbs. | Outside Diam. | Same as Iron Size. | Length. | Brass Lbs. | Copper Lbs. |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12 ft. | .31 | .33 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12 ft. | 2.42 | 2.54 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | " | .42 | .44 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | " | 2.92 | 3.07 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | .56 | .59 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | 3.90 | 4.09 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | .81 | .85 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | 5.14 | 5.41 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | 1.19 | 1.25 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | 8.08 | 8.50 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | 1.66 | 1.74 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | | |

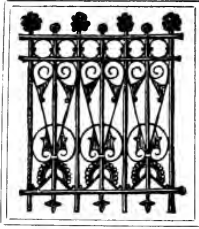
SIZES AND WEIGHT OF COPPER TUBE.

NO. 18 STUBS' WIRE GAUGE.*

| INSIDE DIAMETER. | WEIGHT PER FOOT. | INSIDE DIAMETER. | WEIGHT PER FOOT. | INSIDE DIAMETER. | WEIGHT PER FOOT. |
|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | .32 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | .95 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.40 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | .43 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1.02 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.50 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | .55 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.10 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.60 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | .65 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.15 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.70 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | .75 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.20 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.80 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | .85 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.30 | | |

In ordering, state whether Tubes are to be annealed for bending.

* The above weights are theoretically correct, but in practice deviations from the theoretical weight must be expected.



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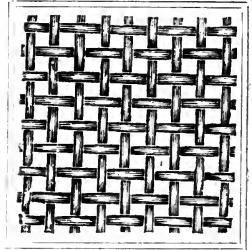
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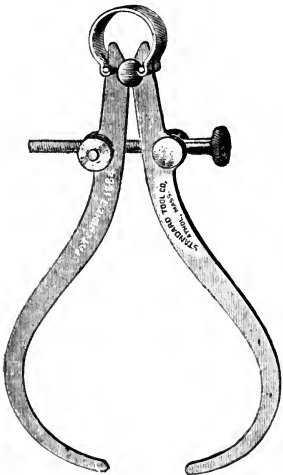
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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

STANDARD WEIGHTS OF LEAD PIPE, Etc.

WEIGHT PER FOOT OF LEAD PIPE AND TIN-LINED LEAD PIPE.

| Calibre | AAA Brooklyn. | AA Ex Strong | A Strong. | B Medium. | C Light. | D Ex Light. | E Fountain. |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1 8 | 1 5 | 1 2 | 1 0 | 0 13 | 0 10 | 0 8 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 0 | 2 0 | 1 12 | 1 4 | 1 0 | 0 13 | 0 11 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 3 8 | 2 12 | 2 8 | 2 0 | 1 12 | 1 8 | 1 0 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 4 8 | 3 8 | 3 0 | 2 4 | 2 0 | 1 12 | 1 4 |
| 1 | 6 0 | 4 12 | 4 0 | 3 4 | 2 8 | 2 0 | 1 8 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 6 12 | 5 12 | 4 12 | 3 12 | 3 0 | 2 8 | 2 0 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 9 0 | 8 0 | 6 4 | 5 0 | 4 4 | 3 8 | 3 4 |
| 2 | 10 12 | 9 0 | 7 0 | 6 0 | 5 4 | 4 0 | |

LEAD WASTE PIPE.

| | | | |
|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch, 2 lbs..... | per foot. | 4 inch, $4\frac{1}{2}$, 5, 6 & 8 lbs... | per foot. |
| 2 " " 3 lbs..... | " | $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch, 6, $6\frac{1}{2}$ & 8 lbs... | " |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ " " 4 and 6 lbs.... | " | 5 inch, 8, 10 & 12 lbs.... | " |
| 3 " " $3\frac{1}{2}$, $4\frac{1}{2}$ & 5 lbs. " | " | 6 " " $9\frac{1}{2}$ and upwards.. | " |

EXTRA WEIGHTS OF LEAD PIPE.

| Calibre. | 7-16 Thick. | $\frac{3}{8}$ Thick. | 5-16 Thick. | $\frac{1}{2}$ Thick. | 3-16 Thick. |
|-------------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|
| | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. | Lb. Oz. |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches.. | 0 0 | 16 11 | 13 11 | 11 0 | 7 13 |
| 2 " " .. | 0 0 | 19 10 | 16 0 | 12 0 | 9 0 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ " " .. | 26 10 | 21 10 | 18 5 | 15 0 | 9 8 |
| 4 " " .. | 30 0 | 25 0 | 21 0 | 16 0 | 12 8 |
| $4\frac{1}{2}$ " " .. | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 18 0 | 14 0 |
| 5 " " .. | 0 0 | 31 0 | 0 0 | 20 0 | 0 0 |

PATENT FINISH DROP SHOT.

AMERICAN STANDARD SIZES.

| | Diameter in 100ths of an inch. | No. of Shot to the oz. | | Diameter in 100ths of an inch. | No. of Shot to the oz. |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Extra Fine Dust.. | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 84021 | No. 6..... | 11 | 218 |
| Fine Dust..... | 3 | 10784 | " 5..... | 12 | 168 |
| Dust..... | 4 | 4565 | " 4..... | 13 | 132 |
| No. 12..... | 5 | 2326 | " 3..... | 14 | 106 |
| " 11..... | 6 | 1346 | " 2..... | 15 | 86 |
| " 10..... | Trap Shot | 1056 | " 1..... | 16 | 71 |
| " 10..... | 7 | 848 | " B..... | 17 | 59 |
| " 9..... | Trap Shot | 688 | " BB..... | 18 | 50 |
| " 9..... | 8 | 568 | " BBB..... | 19 | 42 |
| " 8..... | Trap Shot | 472 | " T..... | 20 | 36 |
| " 8..... | 9 | 399 | " TT..... | 21 | 31 |
| " 7..... | Trap Shot | 338 | " F..... | 22 | 27 |
| " 7..... | 10 | 291 | " FF..... | 23 | 24 |

COMPRESSED BUCK SHOT.

| No. | Diameter in 100ths of an inch. | No. of Balls to the lb. | No. | Diameter in 100ths of an inch. | No. of Balls to the lb. |
|------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| No. 3..... | 25 | 284 | No. 00..... | 34 | 115 |
| " 2..... | 27 | 232 | " 000..... | 36 | 94 |
| " 1..... | 30 | 173 | Balls..... | 38 | 85 |
| " 0..... | 32 | 140 | "..... | 44 | 50 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

RULES FOR COMPUTING WEIGHTS OF METALS.

I.—CAST IRON.

To find the weight of a cast-iron rod or bar: multiply the weight of a wrought rod or bar from the usual tables, and deduct 2.27 of its weight.

II.—WROUGHT IRON.

To compute the weight of any piece of wrought iron: find the number of cubic inches it contains and multiply by .2816. This will give the weight in pounds.

III.—CAST IRON.

Multiply the number of cubic inches by .2607.

IV.—COPPER.

To compute the weight of copper: ascertain the number of cubic inches, and multiply by .3242.

V.—LEAD.

To compute the weight of lead: multiply the number of cubic inches by .41015.

VI.—BRASS.

To compute the weight of brass: multiply the number of cubic inches by .3112.

USEFUL MATHEMATICAL RULES.

To find the area of a parallelogram: multiply the length by the breadth.

To find the circumference of a circle: multiply the diameter by 3.14159.

To find the diameter of a circle: multiply the circumference by .31831.

To find the area of a circle: multiply the square of the diameter by .7854; or, multiply the square of the circumference by .079577; or, multiply half the diameter by half the circumference.

To find the area of a circular ring: multiply the sum of the diameters of the two circles by the difference of the diameters, and that product by .7854.

To find the side of a square that shall equal the area of a given diameter or circumference: multiply the diameter of the circle by .886227; or, multiply the circumference of the circle by .282094.

To find the diameter of a circle that shall contain the area of a given square: multiply the side of the given square by 1.12838.

To find the side of the largest square that can be inscribed in a circle of a given diameter or circumference: multiply the given diameter by .707106; or, multiply the given circumference by .225079.

To find the circumference of a circle required to exactly admit a square of a given side: multiply the given side by .225079.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

VALUE OF IRON.

VALUE PER GROSS TON (2240 LBS.) OF IRON AT FROM 1-10TH OF A CENT TO 10 CENTS PER POUND, INCREASING AT RATE OF 1-10TH OF A CENT PER POUND.

| Per Lb. | Per Ton. | Per Lb. | Per Ton. | Per Lb. | Per Ton. |
|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------|----------|
| ¢0.001 | \$2.24 | \$0.035 | \$78.40 | \$0.068 | \$152.32 |
| 0.002 | 4.48 | 0.036 | 80.64 | 0.069 | 154.56 |
| 0.003 | 6.72 | 0.037 | 82.88 | 0.070 | 156.80 |
| 0.004 | 8.96 | 0.038 | 85.12 | 0.071 | 158.04 |
| 0.005 | 11.20 | 0.039 | 87.36 | 0.072 | 161.28 |
| 0.006 | 13.44 | 0.040 | 89.60 | 0.073 | 163.52 |
| 0.007 | 15.68 | 0.041 | 91.84 | 0.074 | 165.76 |
| 0.008 | 17.92 | 0.042 | 94.08 | 0.075 | 168.00 |
| 0.009 | 20.16 | 0.043 | 96.32 | 0.076 | 170.24 |
| 0.010 | 22.40 | 0.044 | 98.56 | 0.077 | 172.48 |
| 0.011 | 24.64 | 0.045 | 100.80 | 0.078 | 174.72 |
| 0.012 | 26.88 | 0.046 | 103.04 | 0.079 | 176.96 |
| 0.013 | 29.12 | 0.047 | 105.28 | 0.080 | 179.20 |
| 0.014 | 31.36 | 0.048 | 107.52 | 0.081 | 181.44 |
| 0.015 | 33.60 | 0.049 | 109.76 | 0.082 | 183.68 |
| 0.016 | 35.84 | 0.050 | 112.00 | 0.083 | 185.92 |
| 0.017 | 38.08 | 0.051 | 114.24 | 0.084 | 188.16 |
| 0.018 | 40.32 | 0.052 | 116.48 | 0.085 | 190.40 |
| 0.019 | 42.56 | 0.053 | 118.72 | 0.086 | 192.64 |
| 0.020 | 44.80 | 0.054 | 120.96 | 0.087 | 194.88 |
| 0.021 | 47.04 | 0.055 | 123.20 | 0.088 | 197.12 |
| 0.022 | 49.28 | 0.056 | 125.44 | 0.089 | 199.36 |
| 0.023 | 51.52 | 0.057 | 127.68 | 0.090 | 201.60 |
| 0.024 | 53.76 | 0.058 | 129.92 | 0.091 | 203.84 |
| 0.025 | 56.00 | 0.059 | 132.16 | 0.092 | 206.08 |
| 0.026 | 58.24 | 0.060 | 134.40 | 0.093 | 208.32 |
| 0.027 | 60.48 | 0.061 | 136.64 | 0.094 | 210.56 |
| 0.028 | 62.72 | 0.062 | 138.88 | 0.095 | 212.80 |
| 0.029 | 64.96 | 0.063 | 141.12 | 0.096 | 215.04 |
| 0.030 | 67.20 | 0.064 | 143.36 | 0.097 | 217.28 |
| 0.031 | 69.44 | 0.065 | 145.60 | 0.098 | 219.52 |
| 0.032 | 71.68 | 0.066 | 147.84 | 0.099 | 221.76 |
| 0.033 | 73.92 | 0.067 | 150.08 | 0.100 | 224.00 |
| 0.034 | 76.16 | | | | |

SIZE AND STRENGTH OF CAST-IRON COLUMNS.

Capable of Sustaining Load, Expressed in Cwts.

DIAMETER IN INCHES.

| H'gt. Ft. | 2½ | 3 | 3½ | 4 | 4½ | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 4 | 119 | 178 | 247 | 320 | 418 | 522 | 607 | 1032 | 1333 | 1716 | 2119 | 2570 | 3050 |
| 6 | 60 | 105 | 143 | 232 | 318 | 400 | 501 | 59 1 | 1015 | 1397 | 1700 | 2150 | 3040 |
| 8 | 40 | 91 | 135 | 214 | 288 | 379 | 479 | 573 | 980 | 1289 | 1659 | 2045 | 2490 |
| 10 | 32 | 65 | 111 | 172 | 242 | 327 | 427 | 525 | 924 | 1224 | 1603 | 2007 | 2450 |
| 12 | 26 | 55 | 97 | 156 | 220 | 301 | 394 | 497 | 887 | 1161 | 1564 | 1910 | 2300 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUÉRIES.

LIST OF EXTRAS ON BAR IRON.

ORDINARY SIZES. } Rounds and Squares. $\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 in. diam.
 } Flats..... 1 to $4 \times \frac{3}{8}$ to $1\frac{1}{2}$ and $4\frac{1}{2}$ to $6 \times \frac{3}{8}$ to 1.

EXTRA SIZES.

| Rounds and Squares. | Extra in cts. per lb. | Flats. | Extra in cts. per lb. | Flat. | Extra in cts. per lb. |
|---|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|
| No 6 and $\frac{3}{16}$ in. | 1.3 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{3}{32}$ | 4.0 | $\frac{7}{16} \times \frac{7}{32}$ | 1.5 |
| No. 5..... | 1.0 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 3.5 | $\frac{7}{16} \times \frac{1}{4}$ | 1.3 |
| No. 4..... | 0.8 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{5}{32}$ | 3.0 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{16}$ | 1.2 |
| Nos. 2, 3, $\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{5}{32}$ | 0.7 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{3}{16}$ | 2.5 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 1.1 |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | 0.6 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 3.6 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4}$ | 0.9 |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ | 0.5 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{4}$ | 3.0 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 0.7 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.4 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 2.5 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{16}$ | 0.5 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 0.2 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{16}$ | 2.3 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{32}$ | 0.7 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 0.1 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{32}$ | 2.0 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{64}$ | 0.5 |
| $2\frac{1}{8}$ to $2\frac{7}{8}$ | 0.1 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{4}$ | 1.8 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 0.4 |
| 3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.3 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 1.6 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4}$ | 0.6 |
| $3\frac{1}{4}$ to 4 | 0.5 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{3}{4}$ | 3.0 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 0.5 |
| $4\frac{1}{8}$ to $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.6 | $\frac{1}{32} \times 1$ | 2.6 | $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 0.4 |
| $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 | 0.8 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{5}{4}$ | 2.5 | $1 \times \frac{1}{16}$ | 0.4 |
| HALF ROUND. | | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{3}{8}$ | 2.2 | $1 \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 0.2 |
| 7 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.5 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{2}$ | 1.8 | $2 \times 1 \times \frac{3}{16}$ to 2 .. | 0.2 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ to $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 0.6 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{4}$ | 1.6 | $2 \times 4 \times 2\frac{1}{16}$ to 3 .. | 0.3 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 0.7 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{8}$ | 1.4 | $4\frac{1}{16}$ to $6 \times 1\frac{1}{16}$ to 2 .. | 0.2 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ to $1\frac{1}{16}$ | 0.9 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{16}$ | 2.3 | $4\frac{1}{16}$ to $6 \times 2\frac{1}{16}$ to 3 .. | 0.4 |
| $\frac{1}{16}$ to $1\frac{1}{32}$ | 1.1 | $\frac{1}{32} \times \frac{1}{32}$ | 1.9 | | |
| | | $\frac{1}{16} \times \frac{1}{16}$ | 1.6 | | |

For cutting to specific lengths, 10 to 20 feet, 0.2 cent extra.

CAST STEEL CROWBARS.

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Weight..... | — | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 |
| Inch Square..... | — | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{16}$ | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{16}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Inches in Length. | — | 48 | 54 | 62 | 63 | 66 | 67 |
| Weight..... | 20 | 22 | 24 | 26 | 28 | 30 | |
| Inch Square..... | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{5}{16}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{7}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | |
| Inches in Length.. | 72 | 72 | 72 | 74 | 74 | 76 | |

COPPER SHEATHING SHEETS.

Sheathing is the name applied only to sheets measuring 14×43 inches.
 Showing Wt. per sheet, No. of sheets per case and Wt. per case.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|
| Oz. per sq. foot. . . | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | 26 | 28 | 30 | 32 |
| Pound, per sheet. | 4.10 | 5.4 | 5.13 | 6.7 | 7. | 7.9 | 8.3 | 8.12 | 9.5 |
| Sheets per case. . . | 125 | 115 | 100 | 100 | 85 | 80 | 75 | 70 | 65 |
| Pounds per case. . . | 583 | 604 | 583 | 642 | 595 | 607 | 613 | 613 | 607 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

WEIGHT OF HOOP IRON.

One Foot in Length.

| Thickness. | | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 |
|------------|-------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------|
| No. | Inch. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. | Lb. |
| 21..... | .0334 | .0716 | .0861 | .1 | .115 | .129 | .144 | .158 | .172 | .197 | .201 | .229 |
| 20..... | .0375 | .0731 | .0938 | .109 | .125 | .141 | .156 | .172 | .188 | .203 | .219 | .25 |
| 19..... | .0438 | .0911 | .109 | .128 | .146 | .164 | .182 | .2 | .219 | .238 | .257 | .292 |
| 18..... | .05 | .104 | .125 | .146 | .167 | .188 | .208 | .229 | .25 | .271 | .292 | .333 |
| 17..... | .0563 | .117 | .141 | .164 | .188 | .211 | .234 | .258 | .281 | .305 | .328 | .375 |
| 16..... | .0625 | .13 | .156 | .182 | .208 | .234 | .26 | .286 | .313 | .339 | .365 | .417 |
| 15..... | .075 | .156 | .188 | .219 | .25 | .281 | .413 | .344 | .375 | .307 | .438 | .5 |
| 14..... | .0875 | .183 | .219 | .256 | .293 | .339 | .366 | .402 | .438 | .475 | .512 | .585 |
| 13..... | .1 | .203 | .25 | .292 | .333 | .375 | .416 | .458 | .5 | .543 | .584 | .667 |
| 12..... | .1125 | .234 | .281 | .328 | .375 | .422 | .469 | .516 | .563 | .609 | .656 | .75 |
| 11..... | .125 | .26 | .313 | .365 | .417 | .469 | .521 | .573 | .625 | .677 | .729 | .833 |
| 10..... | .1406 | .293 | .352 | .41 | .469 | .527 | .586 | .645 | .703 | .762 | .82 | .838 |
| 9..... | .1563 | .326 | .391 | .456 | .522 | .587 | .652 | .717 | .783 | .848 | .913 | 1.04 |
| 8..... | .1919 | .358 | .43 | .501 | .573 | .644 | .716 | .788 | .859 | .931 | 1. | 1.15 |
| 7..... | .1875 | .391 | .469 | .547 | .625 | .703 | .781 | .859 | .938 | 1.02 | 1.1 | 1.25 |
| 6..... | .2031 | .423 | .508 | .593 | .677 | .762 | .836 | .931 | 1.02 | 1.1 | 1.19 | 1.35 |
| 5..... | .2188 | .456 | .547 | .638 | .729 | .82 | .912 | 1. | 1.09 | 1.19 | 1.28 | 1.46 |
| 4..... | .2344 | .483 | .586 | .683 | .781 | .879 | .977 | 1.07 | 1.17 | 1.27 | 1.37 | 1.56 |

HOOP AND SCROLL IRON.

Number of Feet in a Bundle of 56 Pounds.

| HOOP IRON. | | | SCROLL IRON. | | |
|------------|--------|-----------------|--------------|--------|-----------------|
| Size. | | Feet in Bundle. | Size. | | Feet in Bundle. |
| Width. | Thick. | | Width. | Thick. | |
| 1 inches. | No. 21 | 815 | 1 inches. | No. 10 | 240 |
| 1 inches. | No. 20 | 630 | 1 inches. | No. 16 | 430 |
| 1 inches. | No. 19 | 450 | 1 inches. | No. 14 | 347 |
| 1 inches. | No. 18 | 360 | 1 inches. | No. 1 | 190 |
| 1 inches. | No. 17 | 278 | 1 inches. | No. 16 | 360 |
| 1 inches. | No. 16 | 217 | 1 inches. | No. 14 | 290 |
| 1 inches. | No. 15 | 160 | 1 inches. | No. 12 | 208 |
| 1 inches. | No. 15 | 139 | 1 inches. | No. 10 | 160 |
| 2 inches. | No. 14 | 110 | 1 inches. | No. 16 | 310 |
| | | | 1 inches. | No. 14 | 249 |
| | | | 1 inches. | No. 12 | 175 |
| | | | 1 inches. | No. 16 | 270 |
| | | | 1 inches. | No. 14 | 216 |
| | | | 1 inches. | No. 12 | 152 |

BREAKING STRAIN UPON VARIOUS METALS.

The size of the rod tested being in each case one inch square, and the number of pounds the actual breaking strain.

| | Lbs. | | Lbs. |
|------------------------|---------|-------------|--------|
| Cast iron..... | 19,000 | Zinc..... | 2,600 |
| Ordinary bar iron..... | 70,000 | Tin..... | 5,500 |
| Best Swedes iron..... | 84,000 | Copper..... | 35,000 |
| Soft steel..... | 120,000 | Silver..... | 41,000 |
| Hard steel..... | 150,000 | Gold..... | 22,000 |
| Lead..... | 860 | | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight of Flat Iron.

WEIGHT OF RUNNING FOOT IN POUNDS.

| Width in Inches. | | Thickness in Inches. | | | | | Width in Inches. | Thickness in Inches. | | | | | |
|------------------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|------------------|----------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | 1-16 | 1-8 | 3-16 | 1-4 | 5-16 | | 3-8 | 1-16 | 1-8 | 3-16 | 1-4 | 5-16 | 3-8 |
| 1 | .21 | .41 | .83 | .62 | 1.04 | 1.25 | 5 1/4 | 1.12 | 2.24 | 3.36 | 4.48 | 5.6 | 6.72 |
| 1 1/8 | .23 | .47 | .94 | .7 | 1.17 | 1.41 | 5 1/2 | 1.14 | 2.29 | 3.44 | 4.58 | 5.73 | 6.88 |
| 1 1/4 | .26 | .52 | .78 | .7 | 1.3 | 1.56 | 5 3/4 | 1.17 | 2.34 | 3.52 | 4.69 | 5.86 | 7.03 |
| 1 1/2 | .29 | .57 | .86 | .76 | 1.14 | 1.72 | 6 | 1.2 | 2.39 | 3.59 | 4.79 | 6.12 | 7.19 |
| 1 3/4 | .31 | .62 | .94 | .81 | 1.35 | 1.97 | 6 1/4 | 1.22 | 2.45 | 3.67 | 4.9 | 6.25 | 7.34 |
| 2 | .34 | .68 | 1.01 | .86 | 1.59 | 2.03 | 6 1/2 | 1.25 | 2.5 | 3.75 | 5 | 6.39 | 7.5 |
| 2 1/8 | .36 | .73 | 1.09 | .91 | 1.82 | 2.19 | 6 3/4 | 1.27 | 2.55 | 3.83 | 5.1 | 6.51 | 7.66 |
| 2 1/4 | .39 | .78 | 1.17 | .96 | 1.95 | 2.34 | 7 | 1.3 | 2.6 | 3.91 | 5.2 | 6.64 | 7.81 |
| 2 1/2 | .42 | .83 | 1.25 | 1.01 | 2.08 | 2.5 | 7 1/4 | 1.32 | 2.66 | 3.98 | 5.31 | 6.77 | 7.97 |
| 2 3/4 | .44 | .88 | 1.33 | 1.06 | 2.21 | 2.65 | 7 1/2 | 1.35 | 2.7 | 4.06 | 5.41 | 6.91 | 8.29 |
| 3 | .47 | .94 | 1.4 | 1.11 | 2.34 | 2.81 | 7 3/4 | 1.38 | 2.76 | 4.14 | 5.52 | 7.08 | 8.44 |
| 3 1/8 | .5 | .99 | 1.48 | 1.16 | 2.47 | 2.97 | 8 | 1.4 | 2.81 | 4.22 | 5.62 | 7.16 | 8.59 |
| 3 1/4 | .52 | 1.04 | 1.56 | 1.21 | 2.6 | 3.12 | 8 1/4 | 1.43 | 2.86 | 4.3 | 5.73 | 7.29 | 8.75 |
| 3 1/2 | .55 | 1.09 | 1.64 | 1.26 | 2.73 | 3.28 | 8 1/2 | 1.46 | 2.92 | 4.37 | 5.83 | 7.39 | 8.91 |
| 3 3/4 | .57 | 1.14 | 1.72 | 1.31 | 2.86 | 3.44 | 8 3/4 | 1.51 | 3.02 | 4.53 | 6.04 | 7.55 | 9.07 |
| 4 | .6 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 1.36 | 2.99 | 3.59 | 9 | 1.56 | 3.12 | 4.69 | 6.25 | 7.81 | 9.37 |
| 4 1/8 | .62 | 1.25 | 1.87 | 1.41 | 3.12 | 3.75 | 9 1/4 | 1.61 | 3.23 | 4.84 | 6.46 | 8.07 | 9.69 |
| 4 1/4 | .65 | 1.3 | 1.93 | 1.46 | 3.26 | 3.91 | 9 1/2 | 1.67 | 3.33 | 5 | 6.67 | 8.33 | 10 |
| 4 1/2 | .68 | 1.35 | 2.03 | 1.51 | 3.38 | 4.06 | 9 3/4 | 1.72 | 3.43 | 5.16 | 6.87 | 8.6 | 10.3 |
| 4 3/4 | .7 | 1.4 | 2.11 | 1.56 | 3.52 | 4.22 | 10 | 1.77 | 3.54 | 5.32 | 7.08 | 8.85 | 10.63 |
| 5 | .73 | 1.46 | 2.21 | 1.61 | 3.65 | 4.37 | 10 1/4 | 1.81 | 3.65 | 5.47 | 7.29 | 9.11 | 10.94 |
| 5 1/8 | .76 | 1.51 | 2.27 | 1.66 | 3.78 | 4.53 | 10 1/2 | 1.87 | 3.75 | 5.62 | 7.5 | 9.37 | 11.25 |
| 5 1/4 | .78 | 1.56 | 2.34 | 1.71 | 3.91 | 4.69 | 10 3/4 | 1.93 | 3.86 | 5.78 | 7.71 | 9.63 | 11.56 |
| 5 1/2 | .81 | 1.61 | 2.42 | 1.76 | 4.03 | 4.84 | 11 | 1.98 | 3.96 | 5.94 | 7.92 | 9.89 | 11.87 |
| 5 3/4 | .83 | 1.66 | 2.5 | 1.81 | 4.17 | 5.00 | 11 1/4 | 2.03 | 4.06 | 6.09 | 8.12 | 10.15 | 12.19 |
| 6 | .86 | 1.72 | 2.58 | 1.86 | 4.3 | 5.16 | 11 1/2 | 2.08 | 4.17 | 6.25 | 8.33 | 10.4 | 12.5 |
| 6 1/8 | .88 | 1.77 | 2.66 | 1.91 | 4.43 | 5.31 | 11 3/4 | 2.13 | 4.27 | 6.4 | 8.54 | 10.67 | 12.8 |
| 6 1/4 | .91 | 1.82 | 2.73 | 1.96 | 4.53 | 5.47 | 11 3/2 | 2.19 | 4.37 | 6.56 | 8.75 | 10.93 | 13.13 |
| 6 1/2 | .94 | 1.87 | 2.81 | 2.01 | 4.63 | 5.62 | 12 | 2.24 | 4.48 | 6.72 | 8.96 | 11.25 | 13.43 |
| 6 3/4 | .96 | 1.93 | 2.89 | 2.06 | 4.82 | 5.78 | 12 1/4 | 2.29 | 4.58 | 6.87 | 9.16 | 11.45 | 13.75 |
| 7 | .99 | 1.98 | 2.97 | 2.11 | 4.95 | 5.94 | 12 1/2 | 2.34 | 4.69 | 7.03 | 9.37 | 11.72 | 14.06 |
| 7 1/8 | 1.01 | 2 | 3 | 2.16 | 5.08 | 6.1 | 12 3/4 | 2.39 | 4.79 | 7.18 | 9.58 | 11.97 | 14.37 |
| 7 1/4 | 1.04 | 2.1 | 3.12 | 2.21 | 5.21 | 6.25 | 13 | 2.45 | 4.89 | 7.34 | 9.79 | 12.25 | 14.69 |
| 7 1/2 | 1.06 | 2.13 | 3.15 | 2.26 | 5.34 | 6.41 | 13 1/4 | 2.5 | 5 | 7.5 | 10 | 12.5 | 15 |
| 7 3/4 | 1.1 | 2.19 | 3.2 | 2.31 | 5.47 | 6.56 | 13 1/2 | 2.55 | 5.1 | 7.6 | 10.15 | 12.75 | 15.25 |
| 8 | 1.13 | 2.24 | 3.26 | 2.36 | 5.6 | 6.72 | 13 3/4 | 2.6 | 5.2 | 7.7 | 10.34 | 13 | 15.5 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight of Flat Iron—Continued.

WEIGHT OF RUNNING FOOT IN POUNDS.

| Width in Inches. | Thickness in Inches. | | | | | Width in Inches. | Thickness in Inches. | | | | |
|------------------|----------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 7-16 | 1-2 | 5-8 | 3-4 | 7-8 | | 7-16 | 1-2 | 5-8 | 3-4 | 7-8 |
| 1 | 1.46 | 1.67 | 2.08 | 2.5 | 2.92 | 5 1/2 | 7.84 | 8.96 | 11.2 | 13.43 | 15.68 |
| 1 1/8 | 1.64 | 1.87 | 2.34 | 2.81 | 3.23 | 5 1/4 | 8.02 | 9.17 | 11.45 | 13.75 | 16.03 |
| 1 1/4 | 1.82 | 2.08 | 2.6 | 3.12 | 3.63 | 5 1/2 | 8.2 | 9.37 | 11.72 | 14.07 | 16.4 |
| 1 1/2 | 2.01 | 2.29 | 2.86 | 3.44 | 4.01 | 5 3/4 | 8.39 | 9.58 | 11.99 | 14.37 | 16.71 |
| 1 3/4 | 2.19 | 2.5 | 3.12 | 3.75 | 4.37 | 5 1/2 | 8.57 | 9.79 | 12.25 | 14.7 | 17.13 |
| 1 1/2 | 2.37 | 2.71 | 3.38 | 4.06 | 4.74 | 5 1/4 | 8.75 | 10 | 12.5 | 15 | 17.5 |
| 1 3/4 | 2.55 | 2.92 | 3.64 | 4.37 | 5.1 | 5 1/2 | 8.93 | 10.2 | 12.77 | 15.3 | 17.85 |
| 1 1/2 | 2.73 | 3.12 | 3.9 | 4.69 | 5.47 | 5 1/4 | 9.11 | 10.43 | 13.02 | 15.62 | 18.23 |
| 2 | 2.92 | 3.33 | 4.16 | 5 | 5.83 | 5 1/2 | 9.3 | 10.63 | 13.29 | 15.93 | 18.6 |
| 1 1/2 | 3.1 | 3.64 | 4.43 | 5.31 | 6.2 | 5 1/4 | 9.48 | 10.83 | 13.53 | 16.25 | 18.97 |
| 1 3/4 | 3.28 | 3.75 | 4.69 | 5.62 | 6.56 | 5 1/2 | 9.67 | 11.03 | 13.81 | 16.57 | 19.33 |
| 1 1/2 | 3.46 | 3.96 | 4.95 | 5.94 | 6.93 | 5 1/4 | 9.84 | 11.25 | 14.05 | 16.87 | 19.7 |
| 1 3/4 | 3.65 | 4.17 | 5.21 | 6.25 | 7.29 | 5 1/2 | 10.02 | 11.45 | 14.32 | 17.19 | 20.03 |
| 1 1/2 | 3.83 | 4.37 | 5.47 | 6.56 | 7.66 | 5 1/4 | 10.2 | 11.65 | 14.59 | 17.5 | 20.42 |
| 1 3/4 | 4.01 | 4.58 | 5.73 | 6.88 | 8.02 | 5 1/2 | 10.39 | 12.09 | 15.1 | 18.13 | 21.15 |
| 1 1/2 | 4.19 | 4.79 | 5.99 | 7.19 | 8.39 | 5 1/4 | 10.59 | 12.5 | 15.62 | 18.73 | 21.85 |
| 3 | 4.37 | 5 | 6.25 | 7.5 | 8.75 | 5 1/2 | 11.31 | 12.92 | 16.15 | 19.39 | 22.62 |
| 1 1/2 | 4.56 | 5.21 | 6.51 | 7.82 | 9.12 | 5 1/4 | 11.66 | 13.33 | 16.65 | 20.03 | 23.33 |
| 1 3/4 | 4.74 | 5.42 | 6.77 | 8.12 | 9.48 | 5 1/2 | 12.03 | 13.75 | 17.18 | 20.6 | 24.05 |
| 1 1/2 | 4.92 | 5.62 | 7.03 | 8.44 | 9.84 | 5 1/4 | 12.4 | 14.17 | 17.7 | 21.25 | 24.8 |
| 1 3/4 | 5.1 | 5.83 | 7.29 | 8.75 | 10.21 | 5 1/2 | 12.76 | 14.58 | 18.23 | 21.89 | 25.52 |
| 1 1/2 | 5.29 | 6.04 | 7.55 | 9.07 | 10.59 | 5 1/4 | 13.12 | 15 | 18.75 | 22.5 | 26.23 |
| 1 3/4 | 5.47 | 6.25 | 7.81 | 9.37 | 10.93 | 5 1/2 | 13.5 | 15.43 | 19.27 | 23.12 | 26.98 |
| 1 1/2 | 5.65 | 6.46 | 8.07 | 9.68 | 11.3 | 5 1/4 | 13.85 | 15.83 | 19.78 | 23.73 | 27.7 |
| 4 | 5.83 | 6.67 | 8.33 | 10 | 11.65 | 5 1/2 | 14.2 | 16.25 | 20.32 | 24.35 | 28.42 |
| 1 1/2 | 6.02 | 6.87 | 8.59 | 10.3 | 12.04 | 5 1/4 | 14.59 | 16.65 | 20.82 | 25 | 29.15 |
| 1 3/4 | 6.2 | 7.08 | 8.85 | 10.62 | 12.4 | 5 1/2 | 14.93 | 17.08 | 21.33 | 25.62 | 29.85 |
| 1 1/2 | 6.38 | 7.29 | 9.11 | 10.93 | 12.75 | 5 1/4 | 15.3 | 17.5 | 21.89 | 26.25 | 30.62 |
| 1 3/4 | 6.56 | 7.5 | 9.37 | 11.25 | 13.12 | 5 1/2 | 15.67 | 17.92 | 22.4 | 26.85 | 31.33 |
| 1 1/2 | 6.74 | 7.71 | 9.64 | 11.55 | 13.5 | 5 1/4 | 16.03 | 18.33 | 22.9 | 27.4 | 32.08 |
| 1 3/4 | 6.93 | 7.92 | 9.89 | 11.87 | 13.85 | 5 1/2 | 16.4 | 18.75 | 23.43 | 28.12 | 32.8 |
| 1 1/2 | 7.11 | 8.12 | 10.15 | 12.2 | 14.22 | 5 1/4 | 16.75 | 19.15 | 23.93 | 28.73 | 33.52 |
| 5 | 7.29 | 8.34 | 10.42 | 12.5 | 14.59 | 5 1/2 | 17.13 | 19.59 | 24.49 | 29.35 | 34.25 |
| 1 1/2 | 7.48 | 8.51 | 10.69 | 12.8 | 14.95 | 5 1/4 | 17.5 | 20 | 25 | 30 | 35 |
| 1 3/4 | 7.66 | 8.75 | 10.93 | 13.13 | 15.3 | 5 1/2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

FLAT IRON.

NUMBER OF FEET IN A BUNDLE OF 112 POUNDS.

| Size. | Feet in Bundle. | Size. | Feet in Bundle. |
|--|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| $\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{1}{4}$ inch..... | 267 | $\frac{3}{8}$ by $\frac{1}{4}$ inch..... | 155 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " 5-16 "..... | 216 | $\frac{3}{8}$ " 5-16 "..... | 122 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 173 | $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 100 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 214 | $\frac{3}{8}$ " 7-16 "..... | 90 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " 5-16 "..... | 170 | $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 75 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 145 | $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 60 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 106 | 1 " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 135 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 175 | 1 " 5-16 "..... | 106 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " 5-16 "..... | 142 | 1 " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 90 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 120 | 1 " 7-16 "..... | 78 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " 7-16 "..... | 103 | 1 " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 65 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 90 | 1 " 9-16 "..... | 60 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 70 | 1 " $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 52 |

Round and Square Iron.

NUMBER OF FEET IN A BUNDLE OF 112 POUNDS.

| ROUND IRON. | | SQUARE IRON. | |
|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Size. | Feet in Bundle. | Size. | Feet in Bundle. |
| 3-16 inch..... | 1115 | 3-16 inch..... | 953 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ "..... | 688 | $\frac{1}{8}$ "..... | 540 |
| 5-16 "..... | 440 | 5-16 "..... | 345 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 305 | $\frac{3}{8}$ "..... | 240 |
| 7-16 "..... | 225 | 7-16 "..... | 176 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 170 | $\frac{1}{2}$ "..... | 125 |
| 9-16 "..... | 136 | 9-16 "..... | 107 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ "..... | 110 | $\frac{5}{8}$ "..... | 87 |
| 11-16 "..... | 90 | 11-16 "..... | 70 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ "..... | 75 | $\frac{3}{4}$ "..... | 60 |

Round Bar Iron.

WEIGHT OF A RUNNING FOOT IN POUNDS.

| Diam. Inch. | Wt. per foot. Lbs. | Diam. Inch. | Wt. per foot. Lbs. | Diam. Inch. | Wt. per foot. Lbs. | Diam. Inch. | Wt. per foot. Lbs. |
|---------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1-16 | .01 | 1 1-16 | 2.975 | $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 11.9 | 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 44.85 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | .0411 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 8.338 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 13.3 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 47.54 |
| 3-16 | .0925 | 3-16 | 3.725 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 14.75 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 50.33 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | .1651 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4.12 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 16.4 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 53.32 |
| 5-16 | .2573 | 5-16 | 4.645 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 18.1 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 56.34 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | .371 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 5. | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 19.85 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 59.44 |
| 7-16 | .503 | 7-16 | 5.455 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 21.5 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 62.62 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | .657 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.945 | 3 | 23.7 | 5 | 65.88 |
| 9-16 | .835 | 9-16 | 6.445 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 25.55 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 69.23 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 1.031 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 6.975 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 27.81 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 72.65 |
| 11-16 | 1.235 | 11-16 | 7.52 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 29.85 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 76.13 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.475 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 8.05 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 32.25 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 79.75 |
| 13-16 | 1.74 | 13-16 | 8.65 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 34.45 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 83.45 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 2.015 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 9.25 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 37.1 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 87.20 |
| 15-16 | 2.317 | 15-16 | 9.9 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 39.5 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 91.50 |
| 1 | 2.625 | 2 | 10.55 | 4 | 41.95 | 6 | 95. |

FOR STEEL multiply tabular number above (for size) 1.01.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

SQUARE BAR IRON.

WEIGHT OF A RUNNING FOOT, IN POUNDS.

| Thick Inch. | Wt. per ft. Lbs. | Thick Inch. | Wt. per ft. Lbs. | Thick Inch. | Wt. per ft. Lbs. | Thick Inch. | Wt. per ft. Lbs. |
|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| 1-16 | .0131 | 1 1-16 | 3.80 | 2 1-8 | 15.15 | 4 1-8 | 57.20 |
| 1-8 | .0525 | 1-8 | 4.25 | 1-4 | 17. | 1-4 | 60.75 |
| 3-16 | .1182 | 3-16 | 4.73 | 3-8 | 18.5 | 3-8 | 64.35 |
| 1-4 | .2103 | 1-4 | 5.25 | 1-2 | 25.5 | 1-2 | 68. |
| 5-16 | .3200 | 5-16 | 5.78 | 5-8 | 23.1 | 5-8 | 72. |
| 3-8 | .4735 | 3-8 | 6.35 | 3-4 | 25.2 | 3-4 | 75.65 |
| 7-16 | .6445 | 7-16 | 6.95 | 7-8 | 27.5 | 7-8 | 79.80 |
| 1-2 | .84 | 1-2 | 7.55 | 3 | 30.05 | 5 | 83.8 |
| 9-16 | 1.063 | 9-16 | 8.2 | 1-8 | 32.75 | 1-8 | 88.25 |
| 5-8 | 1.314 | 5-8 | 8.55 | 1-4 | 35.5 | 1-4 | 92.5 |
| 11-16 | 1.59 | 11-16 | 9.57 | 3-8 | 38.25 | 3-8 | 97.15 |
| 3-4 | 1.8 | 3-4 | 10.30 | 1-2 | 41.15 | 1-2 | 101. |
| 13-16 | 2.221 | 13-16 | 11.05 | 5-8 | 44.15 | 5-8 | 105.8 |
| 7-8 | 2.575 | 7-8 | 11.83 | 3-4 | 47.20 | 3-4 | 110.5 |
| 15-16 | 2.95 | 15-16 | 12.62 | 7-8 | 50.25 | 7-8 | 115.15 |
| 1 | 3.35 | 2 | 13.4 | 4 | 53.75 | 6 | 120.25 |

FOR STEEL multiply tabular number above (for size) by 1.01.

BAND IRON.

NUMBER OF FEET IN A BUNDLE OF 112 POUNDS.

| Size. | | Feet in Bundle. | Size. | | Feet in Bundle. |
|---------------|--------|--------------------|--------------|--------|--------------------|
| Width. | Thick. | | Width. | Thick. | |
| 1 1/8 inches. | No. 12 | 265 | 2 3/4 inches | No. 12 | 110 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 10 | 213 | 2 3/4 " | " 10 | 88 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 7 | 160 | 2 3/4 " | " 8 | 72 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 12 | 246 | 2 3/4 " | " 6 | 60 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 10 | 190 | 3 " | " 12 | 101 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 7 | 145 | 3 " | " 10 | 89 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 12 | 205 | 3 " | " 8 | 66 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 10 | 160 | 3 " | " 6 | 57 |
| 1 1/8 " | " 7 | 120 | 3 1/2 " | " 10 | 75 |
| 1 3/8 " | " 12 | 175 | 3 1/2 " | " 8 | 60 |
| 1 3/8 " | " 10 | 138 | 3 1/2 " | " 6 | 50 |
| 1 3/8 " | " 8 | 110 | 3 1/2 " | " 10 | 69 |
| 1 3/8 " | " 7 | 100 | 3 1/2 " | " 8 | 57 |
| 2 " | " 12 | 155 | 3 1/2 " | " 6 | 48 |
| 2 " | " 10 | 120 | 4 " | " 10 | 60 |
| 2 " | " 8 | 99 | 4 " | " 8 | 50 |
| 2 " | " 7 | 90 | 4 " | " 6 | 40 |
| 2 " | " 6 | 81 | 4 1/2 " | " 10 | 52 |
| 2 1/8 " | " 12 | 135 | 4 1/2 " | " 8 | 43 |
| 2 1/8 " | " 10 | 105 | 4 1/2 " | " 6 | 35 |
| 2 1/8 " | " 8 | 88 | 5 " | " 10 | 48 |
| 2 1/8 " | " 6 | 72 | 5 " | " 8 | 40 |
| 2 1/2 " | " 12 | 120 | 5 " | " 6 | 34 |
| 2 1/2 " | " 10 | 95 | 6 " | " 10 | 40 |
| 2 1/2 " | " 8 | 77 | 6 " | " 8 | 32 |
| 2 1/2 " | " 6 | 65 | 6 " | " 6 | 26 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight of Sheet and Plate Iron.

THICKNESS BY BIRMINGHAM WIRE GAUGE AND INCHES, WEIGHT OF A SQUARE FOOT IN POUNDS.

| THICKNESS. | | | THICKNESS. | | |
|--------------|------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| B. W. Gauge. | Part of an inch. | Weight Pounds. | B. W. Gauge. | Part of an inch. | Weight Pounds. |
| 36 | .004 | .126 | 11 | .120 | 4.44 |
| 35 | .005 | .2 2 | | $\frac{3}{8}$ or .125 | 5.054 |
| 34 | .007 | .283 | 10 | .134 | 5.426 |
| 33 | .008 | .322 | 9 | .148 | 5.98 |
| 32 | .009 | .364 | | 5-32 or .1562 | 6.305 |
| 31 | .010 | .405 | 8 | .165 | 6.605 |
| 30 | .012 | .485 | 7 | .180 | 7.27 |
| 29 | .013 | .526 | | 3-16 or .1875 | 7.578 |
| 28 | .014 | .595 | 6 | .203 | 8.005 |
| 27 | .016 | .677 | | 7-32 or .2187 | 8.79 |
| 26 | .018 | .755 | 5 | .22 | 8.912 |
| 25 | .020 | .811 | 4 | .233 | 9.62 |
| 24 | .022 | .912 | | $\frac{1}{2}$ or .25 | 10.09 |
| 23 | .025 | 1.018 | 3 | .259 | 10.437 |
| 22 | .028 | 1.137 | | 9-32 or .2812 | 11.33 |
| | 1-32 or .03125 | 1.259 | 2 | .284 | 11.526 |
| 21 | .032 | 1.31 | 1 | .3 | 12.15 |
| 20 | .035 | 1.416 | | 5-16 or .3525 | 12.58 |
| 19 | .042 | 1.695 | 0 | .340 | 13.750 |
| 18 | .049 | 1.075 | | 11-32 or .3437 | 13.875 |
| 17 | .058 | 2.35 | | $\frac{3}{8}$ or .375 | 15.10 |
| 16 | .065 | 2.637 | 00 | .380 | 15.26 |
| | 1-16 or .0625 | 2.518 | | 13-32 or .4062 | 16.34 |
| 15 | .072 | 2.92 | 000 | .425 | 17.125 |
| 14 | .083 | 3.35 | | 8-16 or .4375 | 17.65 |
| | 3-32 or .0937 | 3.78 | 0000 | .454 | 18.30 |
| 13 | .095 | 3.85 | | 15-32 or .4607 | 18.90 |
| 12 | .100 | 4.4 | 00000 | $\frac{1}{2}$ or .50 | 20.20 |

Weight of Sheet and Plate Iron.

THICKNESS IN INCHES. WEIGHT OF A SQUARE FOOT IN POUNDS.

| Inches Thick. | Lbs. per Square Foot | Inches Thick. | Lbs. per Square Foot | Inches Thick. | Lbs. per Square Foot. |
|---------------|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| 9-16 | 22.5 | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 70.62 | 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 156.51 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 25.21 | 13-16 | 73.14 | 4 | 161.55 |
| 11-16 | 27.75 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 75.58 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 163.6 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 30.25 | 15-16 | 78.20 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 171.76 |
| 13-16 | 32.75 | 2 | 80.75 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 176.71 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 35.26 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 85.75 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 181.77 |
| 15-16 | 37.75 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 90.81 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 186.79 |
| 1 | 40.35 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 95.86 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 191.84 |
| 1-16 | 42.87 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 100.9 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 196.9 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 45.4 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 105.95 | 5 | 201.85 |
| 3-16 | 47.9 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 111. | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 206.9 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 50.45 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 116.1 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 211.95 |
| 5-16 | 52.96 | 3 | 121.15 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 217. |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 55.45 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 126.21 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 222.05 |
| 7-16 | 58.01 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 131.26 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 227.01 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 60.52 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 136.32 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 232.15 |
| 9-16 | 63.05 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 141.37 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 237.2 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 65.56 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 146.41 | 6 | 242.25 |
| 11-16 | 68.11 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 151.46 | | |

For STEEL PLATES multiply tabular numbers above (for Size) by 1.01.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight and Thickness of Boiler Iron.

| | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1-8 inch weighs 5 lbs. per sq. ft. | No. 1 Iron is...5-16 inch thick. |
| 3-16 " " 7½ " " | No. 3 " ...9-32 " " |
| 1-4 " " 10 " " | No. 4 " ...1-4 " " |
| 5-16 " " 12½ " " | No. 5 " ...7-32 " " |
| 3-8 " " 15 " " | No. 7 " ...3-16 " " |
| 7-16 " " 17½ " " | |
| 1-2 " " 20 " " | |

Thickness of Boiler Iron Required

AND PRESSURES ALLOWED BY THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Pressure equivalent to the Standard for a Boiler 42-in. in diameter and $\frac{1}{4}$ in thickness.

| Thickness in 16ths. | Diameter in inches. | | | | | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | 34 | 36 | 38 | 40 | 42 | 44 | 46 |
| 5 | Lbs. 169.9 | Lbs. 160.4 | Lbs. 152. | Lbs. 144.4 | Lbs. 137.5 | Lbs. 131.2 | Lbs. 125.5 |
| 4½ | 158.5 | 149.7 | 141.8 | 134.7 | 128.3 | 122.5 | 117.2 |
| 4¼ | 147.2 | 139.1 | 131.8 | 125.1 | 119.2 | 113.7 | 108.8 |
| 4 | 135.9 | 128.3 | 121.6 | 115.5 | 110. | 105 | 100. |
| 3¾ | 124.5 | 117.6 | 111.3 | 105.9 | 100.8 | 96.2 | 92. |
| 3½ | 113.2 | 106.9 | 101.3 | 96.2 | 91.7 | 87.5 | 83.. |
| 3¼ | 101.9 | 96.2 | 91.2 | 82.6 | 82.5 | 78.7 | 75.. |

Number of Burden's Rivets in 100 Lbs.

| Length, Inches. | Thickness in inches. | | | | Length, Inches. | Thickness in inches. | | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|-----|-------|-----|--------------------|----------------------|-----|-------|-----|
| | 1-2 | 5-8 | 11-16 | 3-4 | | 1-2 | 5-8 | 11-16 | 3-4 |
| 1 | 1,092 | 665 | | | 3¼ | 433 | 267 | 212 | 180 |
| | 1,027 | 597 | | | 3½ | 413 | 248 | 201 | 169 |
| | 940 | 538 | 450 | | 3¾ | 395 | 241 | 192 | 160 |
| | 840 | 512 | 415 | | 4 | | 230 | 184 | 158 |
| | 797 | 487 | 389 | 356 | 4¼ | | 220 | 177 | 150 |
| | 760 | 460 | 370 | 329 | 4½ | | 210 | 171 | 146 |
| | 730 | 440 | 357 | 280 | 4¾ | | 200 | 166 | 138 |
| | 711 | 420 | 340 | 271 | 5 | | 190 | 161 | 135 |
| | 693 | 390 | 325 | 262 | 5¼ | | 180 | 156 | 130 |
| | 648 | 375 | 312 | 257 | 5½ | | 172 | 151 | 124 |
| 2 | 608 | 360 | 297 | 243 | 5¾ | | 164 | 145 | 120 |
| | 573 | 354 | 289 | 237 | 6 | | 157 | 140 | 115 |
| | 555 | 347 | 280 | 232 | 6¼ | | 150 | 138 | 111 |
| | 525 | 335 | 260 | 220 | 6½ | | 146 | 134 | 107 |
| | 500 | 312 | 242 | 208 | 6¾ | | 143 | 129 | 104 |
| 3 | 460 | 290 | 224 | 197 | 7 | | 140 | 125 | 100 |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

GALVANIZED SHEET IRON.

[From "The Volta Iron Co.," Pittsburgh, Pa.]

TABLE, showing Gauges, with Weights per Square Foot; List Price per Pound; Cost per Square Foot at List, together with Cost per Pound and per Square Foot at Different Discounts, ranging from 35 per cent. to 75 per cent.

In this Table prices are calculated to three places of decimals, which is sufficiently accurate for all practical purposes.

| Gauge Number. | Weight per square foot, oz. | 14 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| List price per pound. | | 60 | 48 | 43 | 38 | 33 | 28 | 24 | 21 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 13 | |
| Cost per square foot at List. | | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 16 | |
| Cost at 35 per cent. discount | | 45 | 36 | 33 | 28 | 24 | 21 | 19 | 17 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | |
| " 37½ | " | 47 | 38 | 34 | 29 | 25 | 21 | 19 | 17 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | |
| " 40 | " | 49 | 40 | 36 | 31 | 27 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | |
| " 42½ | " | 51 | 42 | 38 | 33 | 29 | 25 | 22 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | |
| " 45 | " | 53 | 44 | 40 | 35 | 31 | 27 | 24 | 21 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 16 | |
| " 47½ | " | 55 | 46 | 42 | 37 | 33 | 29 | 26 | 23 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 17 | |
| " 50 | " | 57 | 48 | 44 | 39 | 35 | 31 | 28 | 25 | 22 | 21 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 18 | |
| " 52½ | " | 59 | 50 | 46 | 41 | 37 | 33 | 30 | 27 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 20 | 20 | |
| " 55 | " | 61 | 52 | 48 | 43 | 39 | 35 | 32 | 29 | 26 | 25 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 22 | |
| " 57½ | " | 63 | 54 | 50 | 45 | 41 | 37 | 34 | 31 | 28 | 27 | 26 | 25 | 24 | 24 | |
| " 60 | " | 65 | 56 | 52 | 47 | 43 | 39 | 36 | 33 | 30 | 29 | 28 | 27 | 26 | 26 | |
| " 62½ | " | 67 | 58 | 54 | 49 | 45 | 41 | 38 | 35 | 32 | 31 | 30 | 29 | 28 | 28 | |
| " 65 | " | 69 | 60 | 56 | 51 | 47 | 43 | 40 | 37 | 34 | 33 | 32 | 31 | 30 | 30 | |
| " 67½ | " | 71 | 62 | 58 | 53 | 49 | 45 | 42 | 39 | 36 | 35 | 34 | 33 | 32 | 32 | |
| " 70 | " | 73 | 64 | 60 | 55 | 51 | 47 | 44 | 41 | 38 | 37 | 36 | 35 | 34 | 34 | |
| " 72½ | " | 75 | 66 | 62 | 57 | 53 | 49 | 46 | 43 | 40 | 39 | 38 | 37 | 36 | 36 | |
| " 75 | " | 77 | 68 | 64 | 59 | 55 | 51 | 48 | 45 | 42 | 41 | 40 | 39 | 38 | 38 | |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

SHEET ZINC.

| Zinc Gauge. | Stub's Wire Gauge. | Weight per Sq. Foot. | Approximate Weight per Sheet. | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------|
| | | | 24 | 26 | 28 | 30 | 32 | 34 | 36 | 40 |
| | | | x 84 | x 84 | x 84 | x 84 | x 84 | x 84 | x 84 | x 84 |
| | | oz. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. | lbs. |
| 6 | 29 | 7 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ | |
| 7 | 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 | 7 | 7 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 8 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 9 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ | |
| 8 | 28 | 9 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 9 | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ | |
| 9 | 27 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 10 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 13 | 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | |
| 10 | 26 | 12 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | |
| 11 | 25 | 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | |
| 12 | 24 | 15 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 20 | |
| 13 | 23 | 17 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 20 | 21 | 22 | 25 |
| 14 | 22 | 19 | 17 | 18 | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 21 | 22 | 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 25 | 28 |
| 15 | 21 | 22 | 19 | 21 | 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 24 | 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 27 | 29 | 32 |
| 16 | 20 | 25 | 22 | 24 | 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 27 | 29 | 31 | 33 | 36 |
| 17 | 19 | 28 | 25 | 27 | 29 | 31 | 33 | 35 | 37 | 41 |
| 18 | 18 | 31 | 27 | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 32 | 34 | 36 | 38 | 41 | 45 |
| 19 | 17 | 35 | 31 | 33 | 36 | 38 | 41 | 44 | 46 | 51 |
| 20 | 16 | 40 | 35 | 38 | 41 | 44 | 47 | 50 | 53 | 59 |

BAR AND SHEET LEAD.

WEIGHT IN POUNDS.

| Thickness, or Diameter, or Side; Inches. | Sheets per Square Foot. | Square Bars 1 Foot Long. | Round Bars 1 Foot Long. | Thickness, or Diameter, or Side; Inches. | Sheets per Square Foot. | Square Bars 1 Foot Long. | Round Bars 1 Foot Long. |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| $\frac{1}{16}$ | 3.71 | .02 | .014 | $\frac{1}{16}$ | 63.2 | 5.6 | 4.4 |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 7.43 | .079 | .06 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | 66.87 | 6.26 | 4.91 |
| $\frac{3}{16}$ | 11. | .175 | .136 | $\frac{3}{16}$ | 70.51 | 6.98 | 5.5 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 14.08 | .31 | .245 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 74.35 | 7.74 | 6.1 |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | 18.05 | .486 | .38 | $\frac{5}{16}$ | 78.65 | 8.55 | 6.73 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 22.02 | .695 | .549 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 81.76 | 9.38 | 7.38 |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ | 26. | .948 | .745 | $\frac{7}{16}$ | 85.48 | 10.18 | 8.05 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 29.75 | 1.25 | .975 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 89.28 | 11. | 8.75 |
| $\frac{9}{16}$ | 33.49 | 1.55 | 1.24 | $\frac{9}{16}$ | 93. | 12.05 | 9.50 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | 37.18 | 1.95 | 1.51 | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 96.78 | 13.15 | 10.25 |
| $\frac{11}{16}$ | 40.87 | 2.33 | 1.85 | $\frac{11}{16}$ | 100.5 | 14.15 | 11.06 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 44.58 | 2.8 | 2.2 | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 104.1 | 15.18 | 11.88 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | 48.28 | 3.28 | 2.58 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 107.8 | 16.30 | 12.76 |
| $\frac{15}{16}$ | 52.12 | 3.8 | 2.98 | $\frac{15}{16}$ | 112.3 | 17.45 | 13.66 |
| $\frac{1}{1}$ | 56.05 | 4.35 | 3.41 | $\frac{1}{1}$ | 116. | 18.10 | 14.61 |
| | 59.48 | 4.95 | 3.9 | 2 | 119.6 | 19.78 | 15.58 |

SHEET LEAD IS MADE TO WEIGH, PER SQUARE FOOT:
2 $\frac{1}{2}$, 3, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$, 4, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$, 5, 6, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$, 7, 8, 9, 10 pounds, and upwards.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight and Dimensions of Wrought Iron Welded Pipes.

FOR GAS, STEAM AND WATER.

| Inside Diameter in inches. | Outside Diameter in inches. | Weight per foot in pounds. | Inside Diameter in inches. | Outside Diameter in inches. | Weight per foot in pounds. |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | 0.40 | 0.24 | 3 | 3.5 | 7.54 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | 0.54 | 0.42 | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 4.0 | 9.05 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 0.67 | 0.56 | 4 | 4.5 | 10.72 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0.84 | 0.85 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.0 | 12.49 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1.05 | 1.12 | 5 | 5.56 | 14.56 |
| 1 | 1.31 | 1.67 | 6 | 6.62 | 18.77 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.66 | 2.25 | 7 | 7.62 | 23.41 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.95 | 2.69 | 8 | 8.62 | 28.35 |
| 2 | 2.37 | 3.66 | 9 | 9.68 | 34.07 |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 2.87 | 5.17 | 10 | 10.75 | 40.64 |

Lap Welded American Charcoal Iron Boiler Tubes.

TABLE OF STANDARD SIZES.

| External Diameter. | External Circumference. | Internal Diameter. | Internal Circumference. | Thickness. | Length of Pipe per sq. ft. of inside surface. | Length of Pipe per sq. ft. of outside surface. | Internal Area. | External Area. | Weight per foot. |
|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------|---|--|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| Ins. | Ins. | Ins. | Ins. | Ins. | Feet. | Feet. | Ins. | Ins. | lbs. |
| 1 | 3.142 | 0.566 | 2.639 | 0.072 | 4.460 | 3.819 | 0.575 | 0.785 | 0.703 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 3.927 | 1.126 | 3.474 | 0.072 | 3.455 | 3.056 | 0.960 | 1.227 | 0.9 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 4.712 | 1.334 | 4.191 | 0.063 | 2.863 | 2.547 | 1.396 | 1.767 | 1.250 |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 5.598 | 1.660 | 4.901 | 0.095 | 2.443 | 2.183 | 1.911 | 2.405 | 1.665 |
| 2 | 6.283 | 1.804 | 5.667 | 0.093 | 2.118 | 1.909 | 2.556 | 2.42 | 1.981 |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 7.069 | 2.054 | 6.454 | 0.093 | 1.850 | 1.698 | 3.314 | 3.976 | 2.238 |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 7.854 | 2.283 | 7.172 | 0.109 | 1.673 | 1.528 | 4.094 | 4.939 | 2.755 |
| $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 8.639 | 2.533 | 7.957 | 0.109 | 1.508 | 1.390 | 5.139 | 5.940 | 3.045 |
| 3 | 9.425 | 2.783 | 8.743 | 0.109 | 1.373 | 1.273 | 6.083 | 7.069 | 3.333 |
| $3\frac{1}{4}$ | 10.210 | 3.012 | 9.462 | 0.119 | 1.268 | 1.175 | 7.125 | 8.293 | 3.953 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 10.995 | 3.262 | 10.248 | 0.119 | 1.171 | 1.091 | 8.357 | 9.621 | 4.272 |
| $3\frac{3}{4}$ | 11.781 | 3.512 | 11.033 | 0.119 | 1.088 | 1.018 | 9.637 | 11.045 | 4.590 |
| 4 | 12.566 | 3.741 | 11.753 | 0.130 | 1.023 | 0.955 | 10.992 | 12.566 | 5.320 |
| $4\frac{1}{4}$ | 14.137 | 4.241 | 13.323 | 0.130 | 0.901 | 0.849 | 14.126 | 15.004 | 6.019 |
| $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 15.708 | 4.72 | 14.818 | 0.140 | 0.809 | 0.764 | 17.497 | 19.635 | 7.226 |
| 5 | 16.849 | 5.699 | 17.904 | 0.151 | 0.670 | 0.637 | 25.509 | 28.274 | 9.346 |
| 6 | 21.991 | 6.657 | 20.914 | 0.172 | 0.574 | 0.545 | 34.805 | 38.484 | 12.435 |
| 8 | 25.132 | 7.636 | 23.939 | 0.182 | 0.500 | 0.478 | 45.795 | 50.265 | 15.109 |
| 9 | 28.374 | 8.615 | 27.055 | 0.193 | 0.444 | 0.424 | 58.291 | 63.617 | 18.002 |
| 10 | 31.416 | 9.573 | 30.074 | 0.214 | 0.399 | 0.382 | 71.975 | 78.540 | 22.19 |

Light Wrought Iron Artesian Tube and Casing for Oil Wells.

STANDARD SIZES.

| Outside Diameter in inches. | Inside Diameter in inches. | Weight per Foot, Pounds. | Outside Diameter, Inches. | Inside Diameter, Inches. | Weight per Foot, Pounds. |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.665 | $4\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 | 5.500 |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 2 | 2.238 | $4\frac{3}{4}$ | $4\frac{1}{4}$ | 6.010 |
| $2\frac{3}{4}$ | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 2.755 | 5 | $4\frac{3}{4}$ | 7.236 |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 3.045 | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | 5 | 7.667 |
| 3 | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 3.333 | $5\frac{3}{4}$ | 5 3-16 | 8.053 |
| $3\frac{1}{4}$ | 3 | 3.959 | 6 | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | 9.346 |
| $3\frac{3}{4}$ | $3\frac{1}{4}$ | 4.272 | 6 | $6\frac{1}{4}$ | 10.064 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 4.950 | 7 | 6 | 12.435 |
| 4 | $3\frac{3}{4}$ | 5.320 | 8 | 7 | 15.109 |
| | | | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | 16.155 |

LAG OR WOOD SCREWS.

Weight of 100, in Pounds.

| Diameter | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{9}{16}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------|
| Length. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4.7 | 7.1 | 9.9 | 13.9 | | | | | |
| 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 5.2 | 7.6 | 10.9 | 14.9 | | | | | |
| 2 | 5.7 | 8.1 | 11.6 | 15.8 | 24. | 26.2 | | | |
| 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 6.2 | 8.7 | 12.5 | 16.9 | 25. | 27.7 | | | |
| 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6.7 | 9.3 | 13.4 | 17.9 | 26. | 29.2 | 46.5 | | |
| 3 | 7.7 | 10.6 | 15.1 | 19.9 | 28. | 33.5 | 51.5 | 73. | |
| 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8.7 | 11.9 | 16.5 | 22. | 31. | 36.5 | 56.5 | 79. | 103. |
| 4 | 9.7 | 13.3 | 18.6 | 24.3 | 34. | 39.5 | 61.5 | 85. | 112. |
| 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 10.7 | 14.7 | 20.4 | 26.9 | 37. | 42.2 | 67. | 91. | 121. |
| 5 | 11.7 | 16.1 | 22.1 | 29. | 40. | 46. | 72.2 | 97. | 130. |
| 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12.7 | 17.5 | 23.8 | 31.5 | 43. | 49.4 | 78. | 103. | 140. |
| 6 | 13.7 | 18.9 | 25.5 | 34. | 46. | 53. | 83.5 | 110. | 150. |
| 7 | | | 29.2 | 39. | 52. | 60. | 94. | 125. | 170. |
| 8 | | | 33. | 44. | 58. | 67.5 | 104.5 | 140. | 190. |
| 9 | | | | 49. | 64. | 75. | 115. | 156. | 210. |
| 10 | | | | 54. | 70. | 82.5 | 126. | 172. | 230. |
| 11 | | | | | 76. | 90. | 137. | 188. | 250. |
| 12 | | | | | 82. | 98. | 148. | 204. | 270. |

GEOMETRICAL DEFINITIONS.

Angle—An opening between two lines that meet in a point.

Right Angle—A straight line perpendicular to another.

Obtuse Angle—An angle wider than a right angle.

Acute Angle—An angle less than a right angle.

Triangle—A figure with three sides and three angles.

Equilateral Triangle—A triangle having all sides equal.

Isosceles Triangle—A triangle having two of its sides equal.

Right-Angled Triangle—A triangle having one right angle.

Obtuse-Angled Triangle—A triangle having one obtuse angle.

Quadrangle or Quadrilateral is a four-sided figure and may be a parallelogram, having its opposite sides paralleled.

Square—Having all its sides equal and all right angles.

Rectangle—Having a right angle.

Rhombus or Lozenge—Having all sides equal and no right angles.

Rhomboid—A parallelogram with no right angles.

Trapezoid—Having only two sides parallel.

Polygon—A plain figure having more than four sides.

Pentagon—Having five sides.

Hexagon—Having six sides.

Heptagon—Having seven sides.

Octagon—Having eight sides.

Nonagon—Having nine sides.

Decagon—Having ten sides.

Radius is a line extending from the center to the circumference.

It is one-half of any given diameter.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

MACHINE BOLTS

With Square Heads and Nuts.

Weight of 100, in Pounds.

| Diamet'r | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{9}{16}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----|
| Length. | | | | | | | | | | |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 4. | 7. | 10.5 | 15.2 | 22.5 | 30. | 33.5 | | | |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 4.3 | 7.5 | 11.2 | 16.3 | 23.8 | 31.7 | 41.6 | | | |
| 2 | 4.7 | 8. | 12. | 17.4 | 25.1 | 33.5 | 43.7 | 69. | 108. | |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 5.1 | 8.5 | 12.7 | 18.5 | 26.4 | 35.2 | 45.8 | 72. | 112.2 | |
| $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 5.5 | 9. | 13.5 | 19.6 | 27.8 | 37. | 48. | 75. | 116.5 | 175 |
| $2\frac{3}{4}$ | 5.7 | 9.5 | 14.2 | 20.7 | 29.1 | 38.7 | 50.1 | 78. | 121.7 | 180 |
| 3 | 6.2 | 10. | 15. | 21.8 | 30.4 | 40.5 | 52.2 | 81. | 126. | 185 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 7. | 11. | 16.5 | 24. | 33.1 | 44. | 56.5 | 87. | 134.2 | 196 |
| 4 | 7.7 | 12. | 18. | 26.2 | 35.7 | 47.5 | 60.7 | 93.1 | 142.5 | 207 |
| $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 8.5 | 13. | 19.5 | 28.4 | 38.4 | 51. | 65. | 99. | 151. | 218 |
| 5 | 9.2 | 14. | 21. | 30.6 | 41. | 54.5 | 69.2 | 105.2 | 159.5 | 229 |
| $5\frac{1}{2}$ | 10. | 15. | 22.5 | 32.8 | 43.7 | 58. | 73.5 | 111.2 | 168. | 240 |
| 6 | 10.7 | 16. | 24. | 35. | 46.3 | 61.5 | 77.7 | 117.3 | 176.6 | 251 |
| $6\frac{1}{2}$ | 11.5 | 17. | 25.5 | 37.2 | 49. | 65. | 82. | 123.3 | 185. | 262 |
| 7 | 12.2 | 18. | 27. | 39.4 | 51.6 | 68.5 | 86.2 | 129.4 | 193.6 | 273 |
| $7\frac{1}{2}$ | 13. | 19.2 | 28.5 | 41.6 | 54.3 | 72. | 90.5 | 135. | 202. | 284 |
| 8 | 13.7 | 20.7 | 30. | 43.8 | 59.6 | 75.5 | 94.7 | 141.5 | 210.7 | 295 |
| 9 | | | 34. | 48.2 | 61.9 | 82.5 | 103.2 | 153.6 | 227.7 | 317 |
| 10 | | | 37.5 | 52.6 | 70.2 | 89.5 | 111.7 | 165.7 | 244.8 | 339 |
| 11 | | | 41. | 57. | 75.5 | 96.5 | 120.2 | 177.8 | 261.8 | 360 |
| 12 | | | 44.5 | 61.4 | 80.8 | 103.5 | 128.7 | 189.9 | 278.9 | 382 |
| 13 | | | | | 86.1 | 110.5 | 137.2 | 202. | 295.9 | 404 |
| 14 | | | | | 91.4 | 117.5 | 145.7 | 214.1 | 313. | 426 |
| 15 | | | | | 96.7 | 124.5 | 154.2 | 226.2 | 330. | 448 |
| 16 | | | | | 102. | 131.5 | 162.7 | 238.3 | 347.1 | 470 |
| 17 | | | | | 107.3 | 138.5 | 171. | 250.4 | 364.1 | 492 |
| 18 | | | | | 112.6 | 145.5 | 179.5 | 262.6 | 381.2 | 514 |
| 19 | | | | | 117.9 | 152.5 | 188. | 274.7 | 398.2 | 536 |
| 20 | | | | | 123.2 | 159.5 | 196.5 | 286.8 | 415.3 | 558 |

WEIGHT OF 100 BOLT ENDS.

IN POUNDS.

| | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|---------|---------------------|----------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|
| $1\frac{1}{16}$ x 8 | 18 lbs. | $1\frac{1}{8}$ x 12 | 115 lbs. | $1\frac{1}{4}$ x 13 | 460 lbs. | $1\frac{3}{8}$ x 17 | 1350 lbs. |
| $1\frac{3}{16}$ x 10 | 34 lbs. | $1\frac{1}{4}$ x 12 | 165 lbs. | $1\frac{1}{2}$ x 14 | 630 lbs. | $1\frac{1}{2}$ x 18 | 1680 lbs. |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ x 10 | 42 lbs. | $1\frac{3}{8}$ x 12 | 230 lbs. | $1\frac{3}{8}$ x 15 | 850 lbs. | $1\frac{3}{4}$ x 19 | 1900 lbs. |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ x 12 | 71 lbs. | 1 x 12 | 310 lbs. | $1\frac{1}{2}$ x 16 | 1075 lbs. | 2 x 20 | 2300 lbs. |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Rails, Splices and Bolts Required for One Mile of Track.

Tons of Rails.

Rule—To find the number of tons (of 2,240 lbs.) of Rail to the mile, divide the weight per yard by 7, and multiply it by 11, thus: for 56 lb. rail divide 56 by 7, equal 8, multiplied by 11, equal 88 tons, for one mile of single track.

| Weight of Rail, per yard. | Tons per Mile. | Weight of Rail, per yard. | Tons per Mile. |
|------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|
| 12 pounds. | 12 tons 920 pounds. | 45 pounds. | 70 tons 1600 p'nds. |
| 14 " | 22 " | 48 " | 75 " 960 " |
| 16 " | 25 " 320 " | 50 " | 78 " 1280 " |
| 18 " | 28 " 640 " | 52 " | 81 " 1600 " |
| 20 " | 31 " 960 " | 56 " | 88 " " |
| 22 " | 34 " 1280 " | 57 " | 89 " 1280 " |
| 25 " | 39 " 640 " | 60 " | 94 " 640 " |
| 26 " | 40 " 1920 " | 62 " | 97 " 960 " |
| 27 " | 42 " 960 " | 64 " | 100 " 1280 " |
| 28 " | 44 " | 65 " | 102 " 320 " |
| 30 " | 47 " 320 " | 68 " | 106 " 1920 " |
| 33 " | 51 " 1920 " | 70 " | 110 " " |
| 35 " | 55 " | 72 " | 113 " 320 " |
| 40 " | 62 " 1920 " | 76 " | 119 " 960 " |

Number of Rails, Chairs, Joints, Splices and Bolts.

| Length of Rail. | No. of Rails, Chairs or Joints. | No. of Splices. | No. of Bolts. |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 18 | 554 | 1,168 | 2,336 |
| 20 | 528 | 1,056 | 2,112 |
| 21 | 503 | 1,066 | 2,012 |
| 22 | 480 | 960 | 1,920 |
| 24 | 440 | 880 | 1,760 |
| 25 | 422 | 814 | 1,688 |
| 26 | 406 | 812 | 1,624 |
| 27 | 391 | 782 | 1,564 |
| 28 | 377 | 754 | 1,508 |
| 30 | 352 | 704 | 1,408 |

No allowance made for side track in above tables.

Number of Cross Ties for each Mile of Track.

| Centre to Centre. | No. of Ties. | Centre to Centre. | No. of Ties. |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1½ feet..... | 3,520 | 2½ feet..... | 2,113 |
| 1¾ "..... | 3,017 | 2¾ "..... | 1,921 |
| 2 "..... | 2,640 | 3 "..... | 1,761 |
| 2¼ "..... | 2,348 | | |

Capacity of a Freight Car.

A load is nominally 10 tons of 20,000 lbs. The following can be carried: Whiskey, 60 bbls.; salt, 70 bbls.; lime, 70 bbls.; flour, 90 bbls.; eggs, 130 to 160 bbls.; flour 200 sacks; wood, 6 cords; cattle, 18 to 20 head; hogs, 50 to 60; sheep, 80 to 100; lumber, 6,000 feet; barley, 300 bushels; wheat, 340 bushels; flax seed, 360 bushels; apples, 370 bushels; corn, 400 bushels; potatoes, 430 bushels; oats, 680 bushels; bran, 1,000 bushels; butter, 20,000 lbs.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Weight of a Lineal Foot of Flat Steel in lbs.

| Inch. | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1 |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| $\frac{1}{16}$ | .213 | .426 | .64 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| $\frac{3}{16}$ | .266 | .533 | .8 | 1.066 | ... | ... | ... |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | .319 | .639 | .959 | 1.28 | 1.6 | ... | ... |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | .426 | .853 | 1.28 | 1.706 | 2.133 | 2.559 | ... |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | .48 | .959 | 1.439 | 1.919 | 2.399 | 2.879 | 3.84 |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ | .533 | 1.066 | 1.6 | 2.133 | 2.666 | 3.200 | 4.266 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | .586 | 1.173 | 1.759 | 2.346 | 2.933 | 3.519 | 4.693 |
| $\frac{9}{16}$ | .639 | 1.279 | 1.919 | 2.56 | 3.199 | 3.84 | 5.119 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | .693 | 1.386 | 2.079 | 2.773 | 3.466 | 4.16 | 5.546 |
| $\frac{11}{16}$ | .746 | 1.493 | 2.24 | 2.986 | 3.733 | 4.479 | 5.973 |
| 1 | .853 | 1.706 | 2.559 | 3.413 | 4.266 | 5.119 | 6.826 |
| $1\frac{1}{16}$ | .906 | 1.813 | 2.719 | 3.626 | 4.533 | 5.439 | 7.253 |
| $1\frac{1}{8}$ | .96 | 1.919 | 2.879 | 3.84 | 4.799 | 5.76 | 7.68 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.013 | 2.026 | 3.039 | 4.053 | 5.066 | 6.079 | 8.106 |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 1.016 | 2.133 | 3.199 | 4.266 | 5.333 | 6.399 | 8.533 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.019 | 2.24 | 3.36 | 4.48 | 5.6 | 6.72 | 8.96 |
| $1\frac{5}{8}$ | 1.173 | 2.346 | 3.519 | 4.693 | 5.866 | 7.039 | 9.386 |
| 2 | 1.28 | 2.56 | 3.84 | 5.12 | 6.4 | 7.68 | 10.24 |
| $2\frac{1}{8}$ | 1.386 | 2.773 | 4.16 | 5.546 | 6.933 | 8.319 | 11.093 |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.493 | 2.986 | 4.48 | 5.973 | 7.466 | 8.95 | 11.946 |
| $2\frac{3}{8}$ | 1.6 | 3.199 | 4.799 | 6.399 | 7.999 | 9.599 | 12.799 |
| 3 | 1.706 | 3.413 | 5.119 | 6.826 | 8.533 | 10.239 | 13.653 |
| $3\frac{1}{8}$ | 1.813 | 3.626 | 5.439 | 7.253 | 9.066 | 10.879 | 14.506 |
| $3\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.93 | 3.84 | 5.76 | 7.68 | 9.6 | 11.52 | 15.36 |
| $3\frac{3}{8}$ | 2.026 | 4.053 | 6.079 | 8.106 | 10.133 | 12.159 | 16.213 |
| 4 | 2.133 | 4.266 | 6.399 | 8.533 | 10.666 | 12.799 | 17.066 |
| $4\frac{1}{8}$ | 2.24 | 4.48 | 6.72 | 8.959 | 11.199 | 13.44 | 17.919 |
| $4\frac{1}{4}$ | 2.346 | 4.693 | 7.039 | 9.386 | 11.733 | 14.079 | 18.773 |
| $4\frac{3}{8}$ | 2.453 | 4.906 | 7.359 | 9.813 | 12.266 | 14.719 | 19.626 |
| 5 | 2.56 | 5.12 | 7.68 | 10.24 | 12.8 | 15.36 | 20.48 |

Number of Brass Escutcheon Pins in a Pound.

| | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 |
|----|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------|
| 12 | ..... | 720 | 650 | 460 | 416 | 400 | 336 | 272 | 212 | 192 | 170 |
| 13 | ..... | 1,120 | 948 | 672 | 528 | 480 | 400 | 380 | 320 | 229 | 220 |
| 14 | 1,875 | 1,312 | 1,100 | 950 | 830 | 692 | 600 | 432 | 378 | 320 | 272 |
| 15 | 2,440 | 1,820 | 1,376 | 1,152 | 960 | 888 | 720 | 576 | 580 | 432 | 400 |
| 16 | 3,100 | 2,240 | 1,720 | 1,460 | 1,275 | 1,130 | 980 | 720 | 592 | 578 | 464 |
| 17 | 3,540 | 2,700 | 2,076 | 1,812 | 1,500 | 1,185 | 1,051 | 928 | 800 | 640 | ..... |
| 18 | 4,972 | 3,175 | 2,550 | 2,450 | 2,200 | 1,740 | 1,520 | 1,216 | 960 | ..... | ..... |
| 19 | 7,303 | 5,140 | 4,130 | 3,565 | 2,900 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 20 | 9,932 | 8,419 | 6,374 | 5,500 | 4,155 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

WEIGHT OF ONE FOOT OF BAR STEEL.

| ROUND. | | SQUARE. | | OCTAGON. | |
|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| Diam. In. | Lbs. | Side In. | Lbs. | Diam. In. | Lbs. |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ | .166 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | .213 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | .84 |
| $\frac{3}{16}$ | .375 | $\frac{3}{16}$ | .479 | $\frac{3}{16}$ | 1.23 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | .667 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | .855 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 1.75 |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | 1.04 | $\frac{5}{16}$ | 1.33 | $\frac{5}{16}$ | 2.25 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1.50 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1.91 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 2.75 |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ | 2.05 | $\frac{7}{16}$ | 2.61 | $\frac{7}{16}$ | 3.60 |
| 1 | 2.67 | 1 | 3.40 | 1 | 4.55 |
| $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 3.38 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 4.34 | $1\frac{1}{8}$ | 5.50 |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 4.17 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 5.32 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 6.45 |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 5.05 | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 6.44 | $1\frac{3}{8}$ | 7.75 |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 6.00 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 7.67 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 9.20 |
| $1\frac{5}{8}$ | 7.05 | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | 9.00 | $1\frac{5}{8}$ | 10.04 |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 8.17 | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 10.44 | 2 | 11.60 |
| 1 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 9.38 | 1 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 11.98 | 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 13.14 |
| 2 | 10.68 | 2 | 13.63 | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 14.75 |
| 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 12.04 | 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 15.35 | 2 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 16.40 |
| 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 13.51 | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 17.10 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 17.85 |
| 2 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 15.05 | 2 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 19.17 | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 19.50 |
| 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 16.68 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 21.50 | 3 | 21.25 |
| 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 18.42 | 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 23.70 | 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 22.69 |
| 3 | 20.19 | 3 | 25.70 | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 25.00 |
| 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 22.00 | 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 27.74 | | |
| 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 24.03 | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 30.00 | | |
| 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 26.12 | 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 33.18 | | |
| 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 28.20 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 35.90 | | |
| 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 30.45 | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 38.78 | | |
| 4 | 32.70 | 4 | 41.65 | | |
| 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 35.12 | 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 44.17 | | |
| 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 37.54 | 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 46.70 | | |
| 4 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 42.71 | 4 $\frac{3}{8}$ | 54.40 | | |
| 5 | 48.22 | 5 | 61.40 | | |
| 5 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 54.06 | 5 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 68.85 | | |
| 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 66.75 | 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 85.00 | | |

GENUINE RUSSIA SHEET IRON.

| | SIZE. | WEIGHT PER SHEET. | WIRE GAUGE. |
|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| No. 7.. | 28x56 in. | 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. | No. 29 |
| No. 8..... | " | 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. | No. 28 |
| No. 9..... | " | 8 lbs. | No. 27 |
| No. 10..... | " | 9 lbs. | No. 26 |
| No. 11..... | " | 10 lbs. | No. 25 |
| No. 12..... | " | 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. | No. 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| No. 13..... | " | 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. | No. 24 |
| No. 14..... | " | 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. | No. 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| No. 15..... | " | 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. | No. 22 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| No. 16..... | " | 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. | No. 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ |

Average weight per bundle, 240 pounds.

AMERICAN (IMITATION) RUSSIA SHEET IRON.

| No. Wire Gauge. | Size sheets—Inches. | Wt. per sheet, lbs. |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 24 | 28x60 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 25 | 28x60 | 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| 26 | 28x60 | 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 27 | 28x60 | 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ |

Tempering Steel.

(Haswell.)

Steel in its hardest state being too brittle for most purposes, the requisite strength and elasticity are obtained by tempering—or *letting down the temper* as it is termed—which is performed by heating the hardened steel to a certain degree and cooling it quickly. The requisite heat is usually ascertained by the color which the surface of the Steel assumes from the film of oxide thus formed.

The degrees of heat to which these several colors correspond are as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| At 430, a very faint yellow. | { Suitable for hard instruments ; as hammer- |
| At 450, a pale straw color.. | { faces, drills, &c. |
| At 470, a full yellow..... | { For instruments requiring hard edges without |
| At 490, a brown color..... | { elasticity; as shears, scissors, turning tools, &c |
| At 510, brown, with purple spots..... | { For tools, for cutting wood and soft metals ; |
| At 530, purple..... | { such as plane-irons, knives, &c. |
| As 550, dark blue..... | { For tools requiring strong edges, without ex- |
| At 560, full blue..... | { tremc hardness ; as cold-chisels, axes, cut- |
| | { lery, &c. |
| At 600, grayish blue, verg- | { For spring-temper, which will bend before |
| ing on black..... | { breaking ; as saws, sword-blades, &c. |

If the steel is heated higher than this, the effect of the hardening process is destroyed.

It Has Been Stated

That the temperature of furnaces &c., may be estimated with considerable accuracy by the color of the fire, and that with a little practice the error at very high temperatures will not exceed 90°, or 100°, and the following table contains the result of observations with an air thermometer.

| Color of Fire. | Temperature, Degrees F. | Color of Fire. | Temperature, degrees F. |
|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Red, just visible..... | 977 | Orange, deep..... | 2,010 |
| “ dull..... | 1,290 | “ clear..... | 2,190 |
| “ cherry, dull..... | 1,470 | White heat..... | 2,370 |
| “ full..... | 1,650 | “ bright..... | 2,550 |
| “ “ clear..... | 1,830 | “ dazzling..... | 2,750 |

Effect of Heat on Various Bodies.

| | Degrees | | Degrees. |
|--------------------------------|---------|---|----------|
| Ammonia boils..... | 140 | Iron, bright red in the dark.... | 752 |
| Ammonia (liquid) freezes..... | -46 | “ red hot in twilight..... | 884 |
| Antimony melts..... | 951 | Lead melts..... | 504 |
| Arsenic melts..... | 365 | Mercury boils..... | 662 |
| Bismuth melts..... | 476 | “ volatilizes..... | 680 |
| Blood (human) heat of..... | 98 | “ freezes..... | -39 |
| “ “ freezes..... | 25 | Naphtha boils..... | 186 |
| Brandy freezes..... | -7 | Petroleum boils..... | 306 |
| Brass melts..... | 1,900 | Platinum melts..... | 3,050 |
| Cadmium melts..... | 600 | Potassium melts..... | 135 |
| Coal Tar boils..... | 325 | Proof Spirit freezes..... | -7 |
| Cold, greatest artificial..... | -166 | Saltpetre melts..... | 600 |
| “ greatest natural..... | -56 | Sea-water freezes..... | 23 |
| Common Fire..... | 790 | Silver (fine) melts..... | 1,250 |
| Copper melts..... | 2,548 | Snow and Salt, equal parts..... | 0 |
| Glass melts..... | 2,377 | Spirits of Turpentine freezes..... | 14 |
| Gold (fine) melts..... | 2,590 | Steel melts..... | 2,500 |
| Gutta-percha softens..... | 145 | “ polished, blue..... | 550 |
| Heat, cherry red..... | 1,500 | “ straw color..... | 460 |
| “ “ (Daniel)..... | 1,141 | Strong Wines freeze..... | 20 |
| “ bright red..... | 1,863 | Sulphur melts..... | 226 |
| “ red, visible by day..... | 1,077 | Sulphuric Acid (sp. grav. 1.641) freezes..... | -45 |
| “ white..... | 2,910 | Tin melts..... | 421 |
| Ice melts..... | 32 | Vinous fermentation..... | 60 to 77 |
| Iron (cast) melts..... | 3,479 | Water in vacuo boils..... | 98 |
| “ (wrought) melts..... | 3,980 | Zinc melts..... | 740 |

The sign — before the figures indicates that many degrees below zero or 0.

HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

BUILDERS' REFERENCE TABLES.

| Size of Class in Windows. | | | Size of Sash and Frame. | Weights. | |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|----------|--------|
| 12 Lights. | 8 Lights. | 4 Lights. | | 1 1/4 | 1 1/2 |
| 8x10 | 12 x10 | 12 x20 | 2.4 x3.10 | LBS. 4 | LBS. 5 |
| 8x12 | 12 x12 | 12 x24 | 2.4 x4.6 | 4 1/2 | 5 |
| 9x12 | 13 1/2 x12 | 13 1/2 x24 | 2.7 x4.6 | 5 | 5 1/2 |
| 9x13 | 13 1/2 x13 | 13 1/2 x26 | 2.7 x4.10 | 5 1/2 | 5 1/2 |
| 9x14 | 13 1/2 x14 | 13 1/2 x28 | 2.7 x5.2 | 5 1/2 | 6 |
| 9x15 | 13 1/2 x15 | 13 1/2 x30 | 2.7 x5.6 | 5 1/2 | 6 1/2 |
| 9x16 | 13 1/2 x16 | 13 1/2 x32 | 2.7 x5.10 | 6 | 6 1/2 |
| 10x12 | 15 x12 | 15 x24 | 2.10x4.6 | 5 1/2 | 6 |
| 10x14 | 15 x14 | 15 x28 | 2.10x5.2 | 6 | 6 1/2 |
| 10x15 | 15 x15 | 15 x30 | 2.10x5.6 | 6 | 7 |
| 10x16 | 15 x16 | 15 x32 | 2.10x5.10 | 6 1/2 | 7 1/2 |
| 10x18 | 15 x18 | 15 x36 | 2.10x6.6 | 7 | 8 |
| 10x20 | 15 x20 | 15 x40 | 2.10x7.2 | 8 | 9 |
| 11x14 | 16 1/2 x14 | 16 1/2 x28 | 3.1 x5.2 | 6 | 7 |
| 11x15 | 16 1/2 x15 | 16 1/2 x30 | 3.1 x5.6 | 6 1/2 | 7 1/2 |
| 11x16 | 16 1/2 x16 | 16 1/2 x32 | 3.1 x5.10 | 7 | 8 |
| 11x17 | 16 1/2 x17 | 16 1/2 x34 | 3.1 x6.2 | 7 | 8 |
| 11x18 | 16 1/2 x18 | 16 1/2 x36 | 3.1 x6.6 | 7 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| 12x14 | 18 x14 | 18 x28 | 3.4 x5.2 | 6 1/2 | 7 1/2 |
| 12x15 | 18 x15 | 18 x30 | 3.4 x5.6 | 7 | 8 |
| 12x16 | 18 x16 | 18 x32 | 3.4 x5.10 | 7 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| 12x18 | 18 x18 | 18 x36 | 3.4 x6.6 | | 9 1/2 |
| 12x20 | 18 x20 | 18 x40 | 3.4 x7.2 | | 10 1/2 |
| 12x24 | 18 x24 | 18 x48 | 3.4 x8.6 | | 12 |

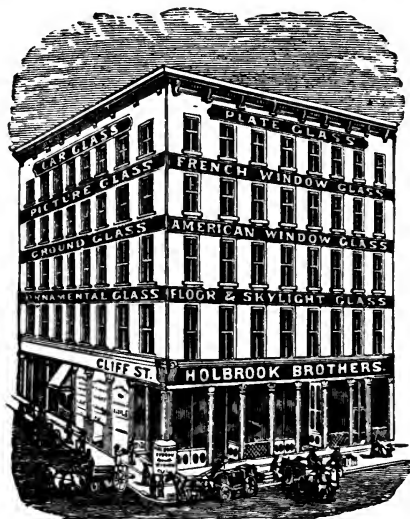
One Hank of Sash Cord will hang 16 Weights. Each Hank Measures 75 feet and weighs about 2 1-4 lbs.

SASH WEIGHTS.—Standard Size List.

| LBS. | Inches diam'r | Inches length | LBS. | Inches diam'r | Inches length | LBS. | Inches diam'r | Inches length |
|-------|---------------|---------------|--------|---------------|---------------|------|---------------|---------------|
| 2 | 1 1/8 | 8 1/4 | 9 | 1 1/8 | 18 | 18 | 1 7/8 | 25 1/2 |
| 2 1/2 | 1 1/8 | 10 | 9 1/2 | 1 1/8 | 19 1/2 | 19 | 2 | 24 1/2 |
| 3 | 1 1/8 | 11 | 10 | 1 1/8 | 19 | 20 | 2 | 25 1/2 |
| 3 1/2 | 1 5/16 | 11 | 10 1/2 | 1 1/8 | 19 3/8 | 21 | 2 | 27 1/2 |
| 4 | 1 5/16 | 12 | 11 | 1 1/8 | 20 3/8 | 22 | 2 | 28 |
| 4 1/2 | 1 5/16 | 13 | 11 1/2 | 1 1/8 | 19 | 23 | 2 | 30 |
| 5 | 1 7/16 | 13 | 12 | 1 1/8 | 20 | 24 | 2 | 31 |
| 5 1/2 | 1 7/16 | 14 | 12 1/2 | 1 1/8 | 21 | 25 | 2 | 32 |
| 6 | 1 7/16 | 14 1/2 | 13 | 1 1/8 | 22 | 26 | 2 | 33 |
| 6 1/2 | 1 7/16 | 15 1/4 | 14 | 1 1/8 | 23 1/2 | 27 | 2 | 35 |
| 7 | 1 7/16 | 16 1/4 | 15 | 1 1/8 | 25 | 28 | 2 | 37 |
| 7 1/2 | 1 1/2 | 17 | 16 | 1 1/8 | 23 1/4 | 29 | 2 | 38 |
| 8 | 1 3/8 | 17 3/4 | 17 | 1 1/8 | 24 1/2 | 30 | 2 | 39 1/2 |
| 8 1/2 | 1 3/8 | 17 3/4 | | | | | | |

2-lb. to 20-lb. Patent Eye. 21-lb. to 30-lb. Solid Eye.
 Sizes not on List, and Square Weights, half-cent per lb. extra.

WINDOW GLASS.



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**ENGLISH and FRENCH PLATE GLASS,
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS.**

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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

WINDOW GLASS. FRENCH OR AMERICAN.

No. OF LIGHTS PER BOX OF 50 FEET.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----|-------|-----|----|-------|----|----|-------|----|----|-------|----|----|------|-------|---|
| 6 | by 8 | 150 | 13 | by 20 | 28 | 16 | by 54 | 8 | 24 | by 30 | 10 | 3 | 2 | by 36 | 6 |
| 6½ | " 8½ | 130 | 13 | " 22 | 25 | 16 | " 60 | 8 | 24 | " 32 | 10 | 32 | " 33 | 6 | 6 |
| 7 | " 9 | 115 | 13 | " 24 | 23 | 18 | " 20 | 20 | 24 | " 34 | 9 | 32 | " 40 | 6 | 6 |
| 8 | " 10 | 90 | 13 | " 26 | 21 | 18 | " 20 | 18 | 24 | " 36 | 9 | 32 | " 42 | 6 | 6 |
| 8½ | " 10½ | 81 | 13 | " 28 | 20 | 18 | " 24 | 17 | 24 | " 38 | 8 | 32 | " 44 | 5 | 5 |
| 8 | " 11 | 82 | 13 | " 30 | 19 | 18 | " 26 | 16 | 24 | " 40 | 8 | 32 | " 48 | 5 | 5 |
| 8 | " 12 | 75 | 13 | " 32 | 17 | 18 | " 28 | 14 | 24 | " 42 | 7 | 32 | " 50 | 5 | 5 |
| 9 | " 11 | 73 | 14 | " 15 | 34 | 18 | " 30 | 14 | 24 | " 46 | 7 | 32 | " 56 | 4 | 4 |
| 9 | " 12 | 67 | 14 | " 16 | 32 | 18 | " 32 | 13 | 24 | " 48 | 6 | 32 | " 60 | 4 | 4 |
| 9 | " 13 | 62 | 14 | " 17 | 31 | 18 | " 34 | 12 | 24 | " 50 | 6 | 32 | " 66 | 3 | 3 |
| 9 | " 14 | 57 | 14 | " 18 | 29 | 18 | " 36 | 11 | 24 | " 54 | 6 | 34 | " 36 | 6 | 6 |
| 9 | " 15 | 53 | 14 | " 20 | 26 | 18 | " 38 | 11 | 24 | " 56 | 5 | 34 | " 40 | 6 | 6 |
| 9 | " 16 | 50 | 14 | " 22 | 24 | 18 | " 40 | 10 | 24 | " 60 | 5 | 34 | " 44 | 5 | 5 |
| 9 | " 18 | 45 | 14 | " 24 | 22 | 18 | " 42 | 10 | 24 | " 66 | 5 | 34 | " 46 | 5 | 5 |
| 10 | " 12 | 60 | 14 | " 26 | 20 | 18 | " 44 | 9 | 26 | " 28 | 10 | 34 | " 48 | 5 | 5 |
| 10 | " 13 | 55 | 14 | " 28 | 19 | 18 | " 46 | 9 | 26 | " 30 | 9 | 34 | " 50 | 4 | 4 |
| 10 | " 14 | 52 | 14 | " 30 | 17 | 18 | " 50 | 8 | 26 | " 32 | 9 | 34 | " 54 | 4 | 4 |
| 10 | " 15 | 48 | 14 | " 32 | 16 | 18 | " 52 | 8 | 26 | " 34 | 8 | 34 | " 56 | 4 | 4 |
| 10 | " 16 | 45 | 14 | " 34 | 15 | 18 | " 56 | 7 | 26 | " 36 | 8 | 34 | " 60 | 4 | 4 |
| 10 | " 17 | 43 | 14 | " 36 | 14 | 18 | " 60 | 7 | 26 | " 38 | 7 | 34 | " 66 | 3 | 3 |
| 10 | " 18 | 40 | 14 | " 33 | 14 | 20 | " 22 | 16 | 26 | " 42 | 7 | 36 | " 40 | 5 | 5 |
| 10 | " 20 | 36 | 14 | " 40 | 13 | 20 | " 24 | 15 | 26 | " 44 | 6 | 36 | " 44 | 5 | 5 |
| 10 | " 22 | 33 | 14 | " 42 | 12 | 20 | " 26 | 14 | 26 | " 48 | 6 | 36 | " 46 | 4 | 4 |
| 10 | " 24 | 30 | 14 | " 44 | 12 | 20 | " 28 | 13 | 26 | " 50 | 6 | 36 | " 48 | 4 | 4 |
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| 11 | " 12 | 55 | 15 | " 20 | 24 | 20 | " 36 | 10 | 26 | " 60 | 5 | 36 | " 60 | 3 | 3 |
| 11 | " 13 | 51 | 15 | " 22 | 22 | 20 | " 38 | 10 | 28 | " 30 | 9 | 36 | " 64 | 3 | 3 |
| 11 | " 14 | 47 | 15 | " 24 | 20 | 20 | " 40 | 9 | 28 | " 32 | 8 | 36 | " 66 | 3 | 3 |
| 11 | " 15 | 44 | 15 | " 26 | 19 | 20 | " 42 | 9 | 28 | " 34 | 8 | 36 | " 70 | 3 | 3 |
| 11 | " 16 | 41 | 15 | " 28 | 17 | 20 | " 44 | 8 | 28 | " 36 | 7 | 38 | " 40 | 5 | 5 |
| 11 | " 17 | 39 | 15 | " 30 | 16 | 20 | " 48 | 8 | 28 | " 40 | 7 | 38 | " 42 | 5 | 5 |
| 11 | " 18 | 37 | 15 | " 32 | 15 | 20 | " 50 | 7 | 28 | " 42 | 6 | 38 | " 44 | 4 | 4 |
| 11 | " 20 | 33 | 15 | " 34 | 14 | 20 | " 54 | 7 | 28 | " 46 | 6 | 38 | " 52 | 4 | 4 |
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| 11 | " 24 | 27 | 15 | " 38 | 13 | 20 | " 64 | 6 | 28 | " 56 | 5 | 38 | " 62 | 3 | 3 |
| 12 | " 13 | 46 | 15 | " 40 | 12 | 22 | " 24 | 14 | 28 | " 60 | 4 | 38 | " 66 | 3 | 3 |
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| 12 | " 26 | 23 | 16 | " 32 | 14 | 22 | " 42 | 8 | 30 | " 48 | 5 | 42 | " 42 | 4 | 4 |
| 12 | " 28 | 22 | 16 | " 34 | 13 | 22 | " 44 | 7 | 30 | " 50 | 5 | 42 | " 48 | 4 | 4 |
| 12 | " 30 | 20 | 16 | " 36 | 13 | 22 | " 48 | 7 | 30 | " 52 | 5 | 42 | " 52 | 3 | 3 |
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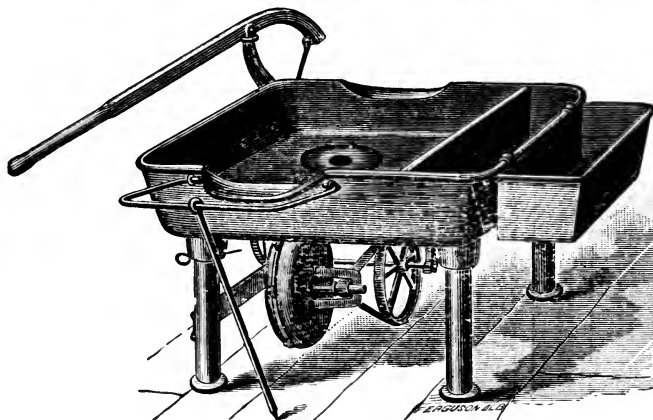
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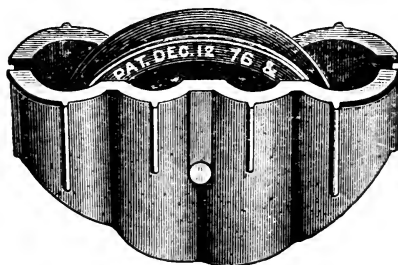
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ROOFING SLATE.

GENERAL RULE FOR THE COMPUTATION OF SLATE.

From the length of the slate take three inches, or as many as the third covers the first; divide the remainder by 2, and multiply the quotient by the width of the slate, and the product will be the number of square inches in a single slate. Divide the number of square inches thus procured by 144, the number of square inches in a square foot, and the quotient will be the number of feet and inches required. A square of slate is what will cover 100 feet square, when properly laid upon the roof.

TABLE OF SIZES AND NUMBER OF SLATES IN ONE SQUARE.

| Size in Inches. | No. of Slate in a Square. | Size in Inches. | No. of Slate in a Square. | Size in Inches. | No. of Slate in a Square. | Size in Inches. | No. of Slate in a Square. |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| 6x12 | 533 | 9x14 | 291 | 10x18 | 192 | 11x22 | 137 |
| 7x12 | 457 | 10x14 | 261 | 11x18 | 174 | 12x22 | 125 |
| 8x12 | 400 | 12x14 | 218 | 12x18 | 160 | 14x22 | 108 |
| 9x12 | 355 | 8x16 | 277 | 14x18 | 137 | 12x24 | 114 |
| 10x12 | 320 | 9x16 | 246 | 10x20 | 139 | 14x24 | 98 |
| 12x12 | 216 | 10x16 | 221 | 11x20 | 154 | 16x24 | 85 |
| 7x14 | 174 | 12x16 | 185 | 12x20 | 141 | 14x26 | 80 |
| 8x14 | 137 | 9x18 | 213 | 14x20 | 121 | 16x26 | 78 |

The weight of a square of Slate is estimated in a general way (varying according to the thickness of the different makes) at from 600 to 700 lbs. per square.

A square of Slate is 100 superficial feet.

Gauge is distance between the courses of the slates.

Lap is distance which each slate overlaps the slate lengthwise next but one below it, and it varies from 2 to 4 inches. The standard is assumed to be 3 inches.

Margin is width of course exposed or distance between tails of slate.

Pitch of a slate roof should not be less than 1 in height to 4 in breadth.

Length of a slate is taken from nail-hole to tail.

Thickness of slates ranges from $\frac{1}{8}$ to $\frac{5}{16}$ inch.

WEIGHT PER SQUARE FOOT.

| | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|-----------|
| Thickness..... | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 |
| Weight | 1.81 | 2.71 | 3.62 | 5.43 | 7.25 | 9.06 | 10.87 | 14.5 lbs. |
| Weight per cubic foot, 174 pounds. | | | | | | | | |

It requires, on account of laps, an average of nearly $2\frac{1}{2}$ square feet of slate to make one of slating.



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| | 9 | 39 | 49 | 59 |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|
| | Japanned, per pair. | Bronze Plated. per pair. | Real Bronze, per pair. | Brass, per pair. |
| Stall Doors..... | \$3 00 | \$7 00 | \$13 00 | \$13 00 |
| Front Doors.... | 5 00 | 8 50 | 19 00 | 19 00 |
| Extra Heavy Front Doors. | 7 00 | 11 00 | 25 00 | 25 00 |

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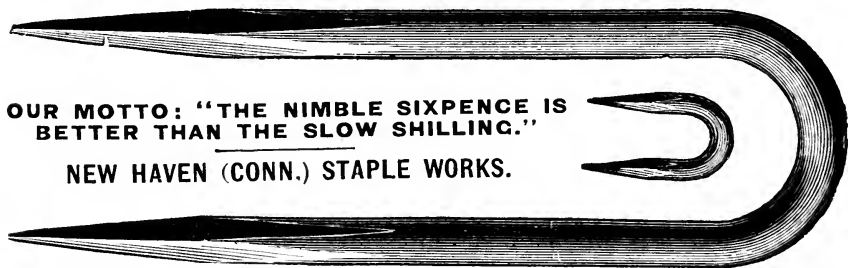
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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Number of Slate in any Number of Squares

CAN BE CALCULATED FROM THE FOLLOWING TABLE.

The left-hand column is size of slate; the figures at the top are the number of squares; the columns of figures are the number of pieces of slate.

| | 1 SQ. | 2 SQ. | 3 SQ. | 4 SQ. | 5 SQ. | 6 SQ. | 7 SQ. | 8 SQ. | 9 SQ. | 10 SQ. | 11 SQ. | 12 SQ. | 13 SQ. | 14 SQ. |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 24x16 | 43 | 85 | 171 | 258 | 343 | 428 | 515 | 600 | 685 | 772 | 857 | 943 | 1029 | 1115 |
| 24x14 | 49 | 98 | 196 | 294 | 392 | 490 | 588 | 686 | 783 | 881 | 979 | 1077 | 1175 | 1273 |
| 24x12 | 58 | 115 | 229 | 343 | 457 | 571 | 686 | 800 | 914 | 1029 | 1143 | 1257 | 1371 | 1485 |
| 22x14 | 54 | 108 | 217 | 325 | 434 | 542 | 650 | 758 | 866 | 975 | 1083 | 1191 | 1300 | 1408 |
| 22x12 | 63 | 126 | 253 | 379 | 505 | 631 | 758 | 884 | 1011 | 1137 | 1263 | 1389 | 1515 | 1642 |
| 22x11 | 69 | 137 | 276 | 413 | 551 | 689 | 826 | 965 | 1102 | 1240 | 1378 | 1515 | 1653 | 1791 |
| 20x14 | 61 | 121 | 242 | 363 | 484 | 605 | 726 | 847 | 968 | 1089 | 1210 | 1331 | 1452 | 1573 |
| 20x12 | 71 | 141 | 282 | 424 | 565 | 706 | 847 | 988 | 1129 | 1271 | 1412 | 1552 | 1694 | 1835 |
| 20x11 | 77 | 154 | 308 | 462 | 616 | 770 | 924 | 1078 | 1232 | 1386 | 1540 | 1694 | 1848 | 2002 |
| 20x10 | 85 | 170 | 339 | 508 | 678 | 847 | 1017 | 1186 | 1356 | 1525 | 1694 | 1863 | 2032 | 2202 |
| 18x12 | 80 | 160 | 320 | 480 | 640 | 800 | 960 | 1120 | 1280 | 1440 | 1600 | 1760 | 1920 | 2080 |
| 18x10 | 96 | 192 | 384 | 576 | 768 | 960 | 1152 | 1344 | 1536 | 1728 | 1920 | 2112 | 2304 | 2496 |
| 18x 9 | 107 | 213 | 426 | 640 | 853 | 1066 | 1280 | 1493 | 1706 | 1920 | 2133 | 2346 | 2560 | 2773 |
| 10x12 | 93 | 185 | 370 | 554 | 739 | 924 | 1108 | 1293 | 1477 | 1662 | 1847 | 2031 | 2216 | 2400 |
| 10x10 | 111 | 222 | 443 | 664 | 886 | 1107 | 1329 | 1550 | 1772 | 1993 | 2215 | 2436 | 2658 | 2880 |
| 10x 9 | 123 | 246 | 492 | 738 | 985 | 1231 | 1477 | 1723 | 1969 | 2215 | 2461 | 2707 | 2953 | 3200 |
| 10x 8 | 138 | 276 | 554 | 831 | 1108 | 1385 | 1662 | 1938 | 2215 | 2492 | 2769 | 3046 | 3323 | 3600 |
| 14x14 | 94 | 187 | 374 | 561 | 748 | 935 | 1122 | 1309 | 1496 | 1683 | 1870 | 2057 | 2244 | 2431 |
| 14x12 | 109 | 218 | 437 | 654 | 872 | 1091 | 1310 | 1527 | 1745 | 1963 | 2182 | 2400 | 2618 | 2836 |
| 14x10 | 131 | 262 | 524 | 785 | 1048 | 1309 | 1570 | 1833 | 2094 | 2356 | 2618 | 2880 | 3141 | 3403 |
| 14x 9 | 145 | 290 | 581 | 872 | 1163 | 1454 | 1745 | 2036 | 2326 | 2618 | 2909 | 3200 | 3490 | 3781 |
| 14x 8 | 164 | 327 | 655 | 982 | 1309 | 1636 | 1964 | 2291 | 2618 | 2946 | 3273 | 3600 | 3927 | 4254 |
| 14x 7 | 187 | 374 | 748 | 1122 | 1496 | 1870 | 2244 | 2618 | 2992 | 3366 | 3740 | 4114 | 4488 | 4862 |
| 12x12 | 134 | 267 | 534 | 800 | 1067 | 1334 | 1600 | 1867 | 2133 | 2400 | 2667 | 2934 | 3200 | 3467 |
| 12x10 | 160 | 320 | 640 | 960 | 1280 | 1600 | 1920 | 2240 | 2559 | 2879 | 3200 | 3520 | 3840 | 4160 |
| 12x 8 | 200 | 400 | 800 | 1200 | 1600 | 2000 | 2400 | 2800 | 3200 | 3600 | 4000 | 4400 | 4800 | 5200 |
| 12x 7 | 229 | 457 | 914 | 1371 | 1828 | 2285 | 2743 | 3200 | 3657 | 4114 | 4571 | 5028 | 5485 | 5942 |
| 12x 6 | 267 | 533 | 1067 | 1600 | 2134 | 2667 | 3200 | 3734 | 4267 | 4800 | 5334 | 5867 | 6400 | 6934 |

Standard Rules for Measuring Slate Roofing.

These rules are recognized and followed by roofers and architects wherever slate-roofing is used, and in all standard works on the subject: FOR PLAIN ROOF—Measure the length of the roof and multiply by the length of the rafter. FOR ROOF WITH HIPPS, VALLEYS, GABLES, DORMERS, ETC.—Measure each section through center and multiply length of rafter; and, in addition to the actual surface of roof, measure the length of all hips and valleys by one foot wide. The extra measure on hips and valleys is intended to compensate for extra labor and loss of material in cutting, fitting and laying same. No deduction is made for dormer windows, skylights, chimneys, etc., unless they measure more than four feet square. If more than four feet square and less than eight feet square, deduct one-half. If more than eight feet square, deduct the whole. If hips are mitred, charge extra. The carpenter should furnish cant strips.

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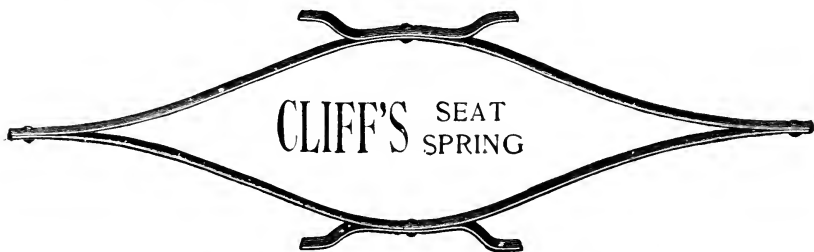
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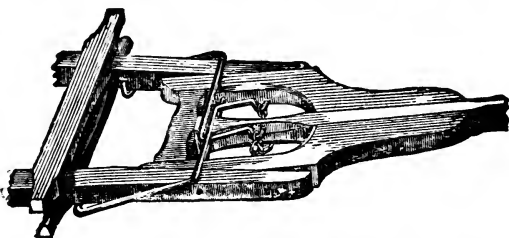
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POWDER AND SAFETY FUSE.

SPORTING POWDER is packed in 5 sizes of grain running from F (coarsest), FF, FG, FFG, FFFG (finest), the sizes in greatest demand being FG and FFG.

BLASTING POWDER.—"A Blasting" is packed in 8 sizes of grain, TP (coarsest), TPG, F, FF, FG, FFG, FFFG, FFFFG (finest), the last size being especially adapted for use in Granite quarries.

"B Blasting" has 6 sizes of grain, C (coarsest), TP, TPG, F, FF, FFF (finest). It is glazed unless otherwise ordered.

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SAFETY FUSE

Is of 8 qualities: Hemp, Cotton, Superior Mining, Single-Taped, Double-Taped, Triple-Taped, Small Gutta Percha, Large Gutta Percha, the qualities in greatest demand being Cotton and Single Taped.

12 inches of Hemp Fuse will burn out in about 9 seconds.

| | | | | |
|------|-------------------|---|---|------|
| 12 " | Cotton Fuse | " | " | 15 " |
| 12 " | Single-Taped Fuse | " | " | 18 " |
| 12 " | Double-Taped Fuse | " | " | 20 " |

Single-Taped Fuse is made to resist influence of water and severe tamping.

Safety Fuse is packed in barrels, each barrel containing a uniform number of feet, viz :

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Cotton Fuse..... | 14,000 feet in each barrel. |
| Hemp..... | 10,000 " |
| Single-Tape Fuse..... | 8,000 " |
| Double-Tape Fuse..... | 7,000 " |
| Triple-Tape Fuse..... | 5,000 " |

ATLAS POWDER.

Put up in cartridges of either 6 or 8 inches in length, and from $\frac{7}{8}$ of an inch to 2 inches in diameter, and packed in 25-lb., 50-lb. short and 50-lb long boxes (the last, for convenience in handling, contain the powder in five 10-lb. paper boxes placed inside of the wood box.)

Boxes marked E contain 20 per cent. Nitro-Glycerine Powder

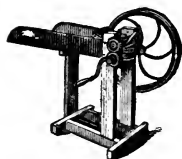
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| " | " | D | - | " | 35 | " | " | " | " |
| " | " | C | - | " | 40 | " | " | " | " |
| " | " | C | - | " | 45 | " | " | " | " |
| " | " | B | - | " | 50 | " | " | " | " |
| " | " | B | - | " | 60 | " | " | " | " |
| " | " | A | - | " | 75 | " | " | " | " |

Taking "Atlas C Powder" as a standard, a single cartridge of that grade will weigh in ounces, according to its diameter and length, as follows :

| Size of Cartridge | Weight in Ounces of each Cartridge. | Size of Cartridge. | Weight in Ounces of each Cartridge. |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| $\frac{7}{8}$ x 6 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ x 8 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 x 6 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 x 8 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ x 6 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ x 8 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x 6 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ x 8 | 8 |
| 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ x 6 | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ x 8 | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 6 | 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 8 | 16 |
| 2 x 6 | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 x 8 | 20 |

NOTE.—For lower grades, reduce weight of Cartridge; for higher grades increase weight of cartridge.

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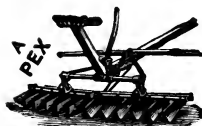
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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

QUANTITY OF SEED REQUIRED

TO PRODUCE A GIVEN NUMBER OF PLANTS AND SOW A GIVEN AMOUNT OF GROUND.

| | Quantity per acre. | | Quantity per acre. |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|
| Artichoke, 1 oz. to 500 plants.... | $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. | Hemp..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. |
| Asparagus, 1 oz. to 200 plants .. | 5 lbs. | Kale, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants..... | 4 oz. |
| Barley..... | $2\frac{1}{2}$ bu. | Kohl Rabi, 1 oz. to 200 feet of | $1\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. |
| Beans, dwarf, 1 quart to 150 feet | | Leek, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill.... | 4 " |
| of drill..... | $1\frac{1}{4}$ " | Lettuce, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill.. | 3 " |
| Beans, pole, 1 quart to 200 hills... | $\frac{1}{2}$ " | Martynia, 1 oz. to 50 feet of drill 10 | " |
| Beet, garden, 1 oz. to 100 feet of | | Melon, Musk, 1 oz. to 100 hills.... | $1\frac{1}{2}$ " |
| drill..... | 10 lbs. | Melon, Water, 1 oz. to 25 hills.... | $1\frac{1}{2}$ " |
| Beet, Mangel, 1 oz. to 150 feet of | | Nasturtium, 1 oz. to 50 feet of | |
| drill..... | 6 " | drill..... | 10 " |
| Brocoli, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants | 5 oz. | Oats, 1 oz. to 50 feet of drill..... | $2\frac{1}{2}$ bu. |
| Broom Corn..... | 10 lbs. | Okra, 1 oz. to 50 feet of drill..... | 10 lbs. |
| Brussels Sprouts, 1 oz. to 3,000 | | Onion Seed, 1 oz. to 200 feet of | |
| plants..... | 5 " | drill..... | 5 " |
| Buckwheat..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. | " " for Sets..... | 30 " |
| Cabbage, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.... | 5 oz. | Onion Sets, 1 quart to 20 feet of | |
| Carrot, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill.. | $2\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. | drill..... | 8 bu. |
| Cauliflower, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants. 5 | oz. | Parsnip, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill. 5 | lbs. |
| Celery, 1 oz. to 10,000 plants. | 4 " | Parsley, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill. 8 | " |
| Clover, Alsike and White Dutch 6 | lbs. | Peas, garden, 1 quart to 150 feet | |
| Lucerne, Large Red and | | of drill..... | $1\frac{1}{2}$ bu. |
| Crimson Trefoil..... | 8 " | " field..... | $2\frac{1}{2}$ " |
| " Medium..... | 10 " | Pepper, 1 oz. to 1,500 plants | 4 oz. |
| Collards, 1 oz. to 2,500 plants | 6 oz. | Potatoes..... | 8 bu. |
| Corn, sweet, 1 quart to 500 hills. 8 | qts. | Pumpkin, 1 quart to 300 hills.... | 4 qts. |
| Cress, 1 oz. to 150 feet of drill.... | 8 lbs. | Radish, 1 oz. to 150 feet of drill.. | 8 lbs. |
| Cucumber, 1 oz. to 80 hills..... | $1\frac{1}{4}$ " | Rye..... | 1 bu. |
| Egg Plant, 1 oz. to 2,000 plants. 8 | oz. | Salsify, 1 oz. to 60 feet of drill.. | 8 lbs. |
| Endive, 1 oz. to 300 feet of drill. 3 | lbs. | Spinage, 1 oz. to 150 feet of drill. 10 | " |
| Flax, broad cast..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. | Summer Savory, 1 oz. to 500 feet | |
| Garlic, bulbs, 1 lb. to 10 feet of | | of drill..... | 2 " |
| Drill..... | $2\frac{1}{2}$ " | Squash, summer, 1 oz. to 40 hills 2 | " |
| Gourd, 1 oz. to 25 hills..... | $2\frac{1}{2}$ " | " winter, 1 oz. to 10 hills. 3 | " |
| Grass, Blue Kentucky..... | 1 bu. | Tomato, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.... | 3 oz. |
| " Blue English..... | 1 " | Tobacco, 1 oz. to 5,000 plants.... | 2 " |
| " Hungarian and Millet..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ " | Turnip, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill.. | $1\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. |
| " Mixed Lawn..... | 3 " | Vetches..... | 2 bu. |
| " Orchard, Perennial Rye, | | Wheat..... | 1 to 2 " |
| Red Top, Fowl Meadow | | | |
| and Wood Meadow | 2 " | | |

Velocity and Force of the Wind.

| DESCRIPTION. | Miles per Hour. | Feet per minute. | Feet per second, | Force in lbs. per sq. foot. |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| Hardly perceptible..... | 1 | 88 | 1.47 | .065 |
| Just perceptible..... | 2 | 176 | 2.93 | .020 |
| | 3 | 264 | 4.4 | .044 |
| | 4 | 352 | 5.87 | .079 |
| Gentle Breeze..... | 5 | 440 | 7.33 | .123 |
| | 10 | 880 | 14.67 | .492 |
| Pleasant Breeze | 25 | 1320 | 22 | 1.107 |
| | 30 | 1760 | 29.3 | 1.968 |
| Brisk Gale | 25 | 2209 | 36.6 | 3.075 |
| | 30 | 2640 | 44. | 4.428 |
| High Wind..... | 35 | 3080 | 51.3 | 6.027 |
| | 40 | 3520 | 58.6 | 7.872 |
| Very high Wind..... | 45 | 3960 | 66. | 9.963 |
| Storm..... | 50 | 4400 | 73.3 | 12.300 |
| | 60 | 5280 | 88. | 17.712 |
| Great Storm..... | 70 | 6160 | 102.7 | 24.108 |
| | 80 | 7040 | 117.3 | 31.488 |
| Hurricane..... | 100 | 8800 | 146.6 | 49.200 |

SUPERIOR LAWN MOWER.

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1st—The ease and quickness with which it can be adjusted to cut **High and Low grass**; in a moment you can vary the cut from one-half to three and one-half inches.

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3d—Being a **Front-Cut Machine** the operator is enabled to cut grass close up to walls, fences, trees, etc.

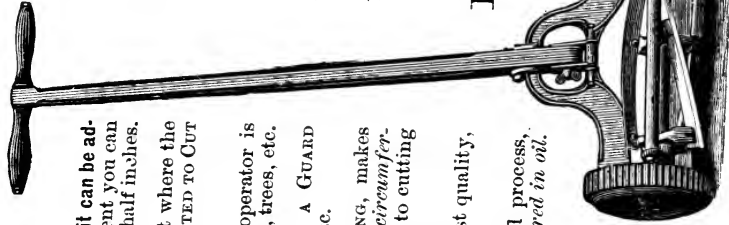
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7th—The **KNIVES** are made by a patented process, *of the best steel*, and are hardened and tempered in oil.

8th—They are made with the **DOUBLE GEAR**, giving it ease of motion, combined with strength, enabling one to cut grass **RAPIDLY** going at a slow rate of speed.



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11th—The machine is sharpened by a very simple method, so that EVEN A CHILD CAN SHARPEN IT WITH the greatest ease. A Crank and full directions accompany each machine.

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| | | |
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| 14 " " | - - - | 15.00 |
| 16 " " | - - - | 17.00 |

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HOPKINS' HANDY NOTES AND QUERIES.

Dimensions of Cylindrical Vessels.

It will be useful for tinnerns to know how to calculate the contents in gallons of cylindrical vessels. This is easily done by this formula: Square the diameter (in inches and decimal parts of an inch), multiply it by the height, then multiply the product by .0034 for wine gallons, or by .002785 for beer gallons.

Tinnerns are often called upon to construct a can or other cylindrical vessel to contain a certain number of gallons. The following table, furnished by an experienced tinner, gives the dimensions of cylindrical vessels which cut to advantage from tin or galvanized iron:

| Gallons. | Diameter. | Height. | Gallons. | Diameter. | Height. |
|----------|------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| 1 | 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 30 | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 2 | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 | 35 | 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 3 | 9 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 40 | 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 34 |
| 4 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 50 | 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 35 |
| 5 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 60 | 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 33 |
| 6 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 70 | 23 | 40 |
| 10 | 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 80 | 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 40 |
| 15 | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 | 90 | 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 45 |
| 20 | 16 | 23 | 100 | 26 | 45 |
| 25 | 18 | 23 | | | |

Table of Dimensions of Various Measures of Capacity.

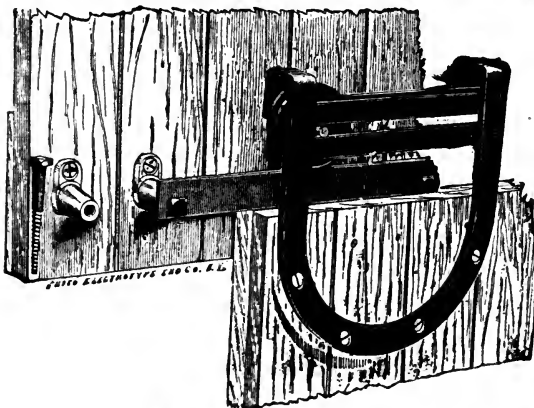
| Size. | Diameter of Top. | Diameter of Bottom. | Height. |
|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| 1 gallon. | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | 4 | 4 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 8 |
| 1 quart. | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 1 gallon. | 4 | 7 | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | 4 |
| 5 " " | 8 | 11 $\frac{1}{8}$ | 12 $\frac{7}{8}$ |
| 3 " " | 7 | 11 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 2 " " | 6 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 1 " " | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| 20 quarts. | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 13 | 8 |
| 16 " " | 14 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 14 " " | 15 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 10 " " | 14 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 11 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 pint. | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| 3 quarts. | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 pint. | 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon. | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 " " | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 5 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ " " | 2 | 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 2 quarts. | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 3 pints. | 9 | 6 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 1 pint. | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Pie. | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| | 9 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ |

Capacity of Boxes.

A box 24 by 16 inches and 28 inches deep will contain 5 bushels.
 A box 24 by 16 inches and 14 inches deep will contain 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels.
 A box 14 by 23 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches and 10 inches deep will contain 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels.
 A box 16 inches square and 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches deep will contain 1 bushel.
 A box 16 by 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches and 8 inches deep will contain $\frac{1}{2}$ bushel.
 A box 8 inches square and 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches deep will contain 1 peck.
 A box 8 by 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches and 4 inches deep will contain 1 gallon.
 A box 8 by 4 inches and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches deep will contain $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon.
 A box 4 inches square and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches deep will contain 1 quart.

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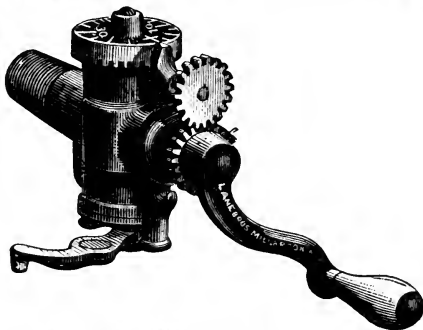
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Capacity of Cylindrical Cisterns or Tanks,

FOR EACH FOOT OF DEPTH.

| Diameter in feet. | Gallons. | Pounds. | Diameter in feet. | Gallons. | Pounds. |
|----------------------|----------|---------|----------------------|----------|---------|
| 2.0 | 23.5 | 196 | 9.0 | 475.9 | 3,968 |
| 2.5 | 36.7 | 306 | 9.5 | 530.2 | 4,421 |
| 3.0 | 52.9 | 441 | 10.0 | 587.5 | 4,899 |
| 3.5 | 72.0 | 600 | 11.0 | 710.9 | 5,928 |
| 4.0 | 94.0 | 784 | 12.0 | 846.0 | 7,054 |
| 4.5 | 119.0 | 992 | 13.0 | 992.9 | 8,280 |
| 5.0 | 146.9 | 1,225 | 14.0 | 1,151.5 | 9,602 |
| 5.5 | 177.7 | 1,482 | 15.0 | 1,321.9 | 11,023 |
| 6.0 | 211.5 | 1,764 | 20.0 | 2,350.1 | 19,596 |
| 6.5 | 248.2 | 2,070 | 25.0 | 3,672.0 | 30,620 |
| 7.0 | 287.9 | 2,401 | 30.0 | 5,287.7 | 44,093 |
| 7.5 | 330.5 | 2,766 | 35.0 | 7,197.1 | 60,016 |
| 8.0 | 376.0 | 3,135 | 40.0 | 9,400.3 | 78,388 |
| 8.5 | 424.5 | 3,540 | .. | .. | .. |

Rule for Measuring the Capacity of a Circular Cistern.

Multiply the square of the diameter by .7854, or the square of the circumference by .07958, in order to find the area of the cistern, then multiply the area by the depth in inches, and divide the product by 231. The quotient will equal the number of gallons the cistern will contain.

In measuring cisterns, etc., $31\frac{1}{2}$ gallons are estimated to one barrel; 63 gallons to one hogshead.

Capacity of Cisterns in Barrels ($31\frac{1}{2}$ Gals.)

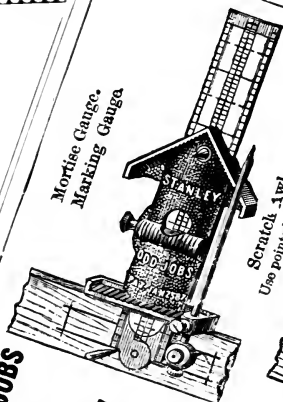
| Depth 1 foot. | | | Depth 1 foot. | | |
|---------------|----------------|----------|---------------|----------------|----------|
| Diameter. | | Barrels. | Diameter. | | Barrels. |
| Feet, | 2 | .74 | Feet, | $8\frac{1}{2}$ | 13.47 |
| " | $2\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.16 | " | 9 | 15.11 |
| " | 3 | 1.70 | " | $9\frac{1}{2}$ | 16.81 |
| " | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 2.28 | " | 10 | 18.65 |
| " | 4 | 2.98 | " | 11 | 22.56 |
| " | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 3.77 | " | 12 | 26.85 |
| " | 5 | 4.66 | " | 13 | 31.61 |
| " | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.64 | " | 14 | 36.55 |
| " | 6 | 6.71 | " | 15 | 41.96 |
| " | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | 7.88 | " | 20 | 74.60 |
| " | 7 | 9.13 | " | 25 | 116.57 |
| " | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | 10.49 | " | 30 | 167.86 |
| " | 8 | 11.93 | | | |

Rule for Measuring the Capacity of a Square Cistern.

Multiply the length in feet by the width in feet, and multiply that by 1.728, then divide by 231. The quotient will be the number of gallons capacity of one foot in depth.

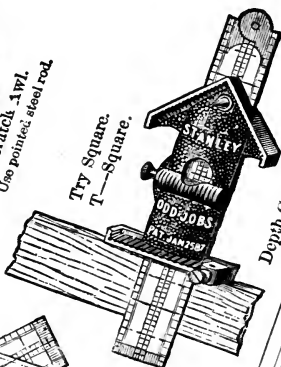
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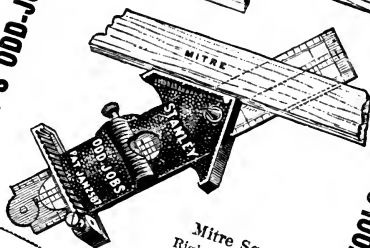


Scratchawl.
Use pointed steel rod.

Try Square.
T-Square.

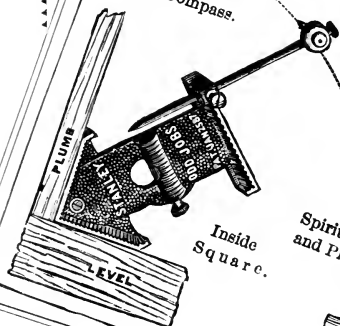


Depth Gauge.



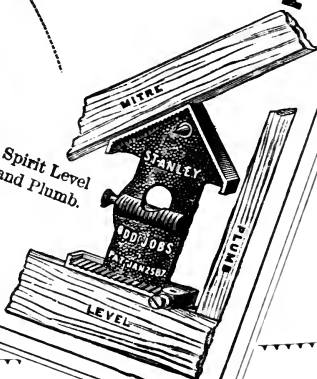
Mitre Square.
Right or left hand.

Beam Compass.



Inside
Square.

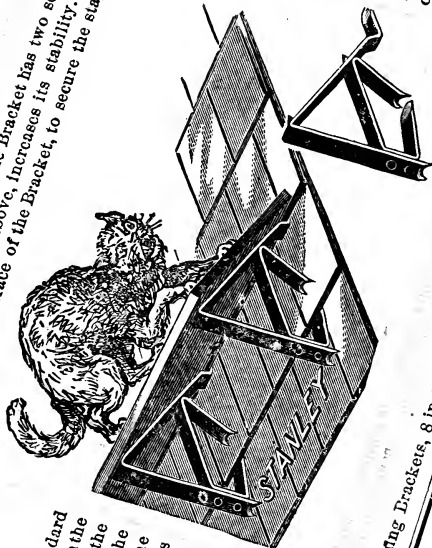
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